Convoy of British refugees ready to roll as Ashdown queries view that UN allows strike on Iraq

Challenge to Thatcher over Gulf action

By Andrew McEwen in jeddah and Philip Webster in London

THE prime minister was invasion of Kuwait appeared countering her claim, made last night challenged by Paddy Ashdown, the Liberal Democrats' leader, over her assertion that the United Nations charter would authorise a strike against Iraq.

Mrs Thatcher's interthe charter as removing the need to return to the UN for authority for military action could prove a significant point of contents. nificant point of contention when the Commons debates the Gulf confrontation on Thursday and Friday.

An attempt is to be made early today to take a convoy of buses carrying British women and children from Kuwait to Baghdad. The British community in Kuwait was to be alcred by the BBC World Service last night to be ready to leave early this morning.

British sources in Riyadh said the convoy was expected to set off at 5.30am. It was organised by British people in Kuwait acting for the diplomats who remain unable to leave the British embassy,

In Iraq the government has started to ration food, while American diplomats in Kuwait were breaking up fur-niture for firewood and boiling swimming pool water for drinking. The Canadian and Japanese embassies were experiencing similar diffi-culties but Michael Weston and his staff of three at the British embassy were said to-

Call for 'free' central bank

EC central bank governors are agreed that a future European central bank should be independent of government control, Karl Otto Pohl, the Bundesbank president, told the free market Mont Pélerin Society in Munich. He said: Historical experience shows that monetary stability can best be expected of a system which is independent of politicial interference.".

He has persuaded fellow European Community central banks to take a tough line on the independence of a future European central bank that could undermine the political momentum for rapid European monetary union and a

Welsh battle

After years of decline, the farming communities of rural Wales are fighting back to win investment and create new jobs and homes which they hope will stop the exodus of young people Pages 14-15

Defiant Yeltsin

Boris Yeltsin, the president of the Russian Federation, told his parhament that Russia would press ahead with its programme of economic decentralisation regardless of whether agreement was reached with MoscowPage 20

Degree courses

A list of vacancies for degree courses in humanities and social sciences at British universities, polyteconics and colleges is published today. Degrees awarded by the University of Lancaster also appear today Page 33

Taylor's men

Graham Taylor, the England football manager, kept faith with the players who reached the World Cup semi-finais when he named his first

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as Sir Geoffrey Howe, the deputy prime minister and Commons leader, last night emphasised the importance of the government maintaining preparing to return to West-

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Mrs Thatcher's interpretation of article 51 as precluding the need to return to the UN for authority for military action is causing stirrings in among the item parties. In the debate the government will receive backing from Labour and other parties for its handling of events since the invasion although a vote forced by the left at the end of

the debate is virtually certain. The government is receiving obvious signals that the consensus would be put under heavy strain if it backed the United States in a military venture without first returning to the UN to seek authorisation through a specific resolution. Mr Ashdown last night wrote to Mrs Thatcher

international and cross-party or by article 51, which pro-support for its response to the vides the right of self-defence Guif conflict. With MPs against an aggressor. Either way would be legal, she said. Under that inter-

tience being needed if the crucial aims of the international community were to be achieved. "So too we shall need to maintain, step-by-step, the broad based unity of approach which has carried us thus far

broke."

were not in any sense a response to the prime minister's interview or the views of Opposition politicians about her interpretation of

long drawn-out test. In a pair the inherent right of be holding up well.

In Britain the first hint of a Doosnion trades in sustain defence if an armed attack int in the political consensus ing many, Sir Geoffrey said occurs against a member of that has existed since the line failure to respond to the the United Nations until the Perez de Land mission Security Council has taken showed the extent to which measures necessary to mainoccurs against a member of the United Nations until the "our resolve is likely to be tain international peace and members in the exercise of this right to self-defence shall be immediately reported to the security council and shall not in any way affect the authority and responsibility of the security council under the present charter to take at any time such action as it deems necessary in order to to maintain or restore international

> article 51 are equally strong. Action taken outside the authority of a UN resolution could cause serious problems, Gerald Kaufman, the shadow foreign secretary, conceded in an interview on London Weekend Television's Walden programme on Sunday.



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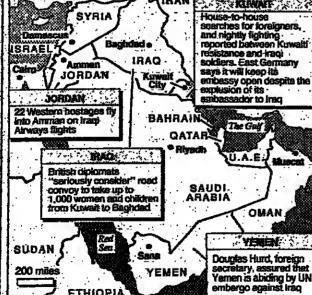
pretation military action could be taken even in the face

of opposition from the UN. Sir Geoffrey's intervention came in a speech to a Conservative audience in Newbury. He spoke of courage and cool judgment, resolution and pa-

which has carried us thus far along what may yet prove to be a very hard road," he said. "The United Kingdom has played a most significant role in spreading and sustaining that unity. It is right to acknowledge that we have been helped in that task by the responsible support of Opposition leaders since the crisis broke."

It was emphasised last night that Sir Geoffrey's remarks

peace and security."
Labour's misgivings over
Mrs Thatcher's attitude to



Long wait in the heat: refugees packed into a hall near Amman awaiting transport out of Jordan. Thousands more are still trapped in the desert Misery of the desert refugee

camps From RICHARD OWEN IN SHAALAN CAMP ON THE JORDAN-IRAQ BORDER

IN THE corner of an emer gency medical tent staffed by olunteers from the Jordanian Red Crescent Society and the International Red Cross, an gyptian woman refugee from uwait was giving birth, the heat of the midday sun burning through the canvas as she screamed in labour pains.

Around her lay Indians, Pakistanis, Bangladeshis and Filipinos, all refugees from Knwait and Iraq who have now become victims of dehydration. They lay with saline drips in their arms on dusty tarpaulins for lack of beds, with scarce medical supplies stacked on upturned

Outside an ambulance tore through the stiflingly hot and airless refugee camp, sending up clouds of dust and sand as it came to a halt. A middleaged man from Sri Lanka had just died after chronic diarrhoea and vomiting which the hard-pressed camp doctors were unable to treat properly.

The man was the first known fatality since the transit camp opened here in mid-August, a desperate measure by the Jordanian anthorities. who have been overwhelmed by the human tide which streamed their way and is still

"There will be more deaths", said Dr Khaled Abu Halimeh, a 40-year-old doctor from Amman who had volunteered to help. He had not slept for three nights and looked exhausted, wiping the sweat from his eyes. "Given the right conditions, we could have saved him," he said as the ambulance headed across the rock-strewn desert to the main road to Amman. "Everything in these conditions is difficult. This is really a disaster. If we stay here much longer many more will die." Yesterday as the refugee

crisis mounted, the refugees turned their anger not so Continued on page 20, col 3

Syria and Libya blamed for French DC10 bomb

By VINCENT McCULLOUGH

PRESIDENT Assad of Syria, Colonel Gadaffi of Libya, and Ahmed Jibril of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command were responsible for the bombing of a French DC10 airliner over the Sahara on September 19 last year, according to an official French investigation.

The bomb killed 171 pasengers and crew including Boony Pugh, the wife of the upsetting French diplomatic hiding in Zaire. links with Libya and Syria. Publication would also embarrass the Americans because Syria has sent a 2,000-strong force to Saudi Arabia alongside US troops to repel an

Iraqi attack. from pentharite (a compound used in the Czechoslovak- (prosecution service) in Paris made Semtex-H plastic explo- - the Service Centrale de la

sive), and the attack itself Lutte Antiterroriste (Sclau), carried all the hallmarks of After piecing the shattered December 1988.

Chad. The bomb was carried on to Flight 772 in the luggage of a Congolese national, Rue de Rennes in Paris, and US ambassador to Chad. The Appolinaire Mangatany, who the judge have pleaty of conclusions of the report have may have perished in the experieoce of terrorism, esbeen suppressed to avoid explosion or (more likely) is in

At a meeting with President Mitterrand, M Bruguière delivered his conclusions verbally. Also present were Pierre Joxe, minister of the interior, and the heads of the French security services, including According to the report the external counter-espiondrawn up by a French juge age service DGSE and the d'instruction. Jean-Louis internal DST (Direction de la Bruguière, who spent six Sureté du Territoire) which months investigating the had a hand in the invest-crash, the bomb was made igation. M Bruguière heads

Ahmed Jihril, the prime sus- DC10 together in a hangar at pect in the bombing of the Pan
Am jumbo over Lockerbie in Paris, M Bruguière established that the bomb was made from The plane, belonging to the pentharite and packed in a privately owned French air-line UTA, was on a flight from factured in a Denver, Colo-Brazzaville to Paris, via rado, factory between 1982 Ndjamena, the capital of and 1985. Sciat. formed in 1986 after a

terrorist bomb exploded in the pecially the handiwork of Colonel Gadaffi and Ahmed Jibril M Bruguière spent two and a half years investigating the shipment of 120 tonnes of weaponry and explosives, includiog a tonne of Semtex-H, from Libya to the 1RA, which culminated in the capture of the Eksund off the Brittany coast and its fourman Irish crew, three of whom are awaiting trial in Paris.

Ahmed Jibril's hand was believed to be behind a pentharite bomb at Rome airport in 1986 which killed 16 Continued on page 20, col 7

Anger at jailing of railman

By Lin Jenkins

THE six-month imprisonmem of the Purley train crash driver who failed to respond to warning signals to slow down, was strongly criticised last night as the drivers' unioo said it would lodge an appeal.

Robert Morgan was sentenced to 18 months' jail, with a year suspended, after pleading guilty at the Central Criminal Court to two charges of manslaughter. The charges related to two of the five people who died when the Littlehampton to Victoria train he was drivhit the Horsham to toria train in May.

Mr Justice Kennedy said that although there was no need to impose a senience to deter other drivers, "I do not believe it is possible to deal with a case such as this hut by a sentence of imprisonment".

Derek Fullick, general sec-retary of Aslef, said he was stunned by the senience. "It seems there is one law for the worker and one law for the corporate body.

Driver jailed, page 3

TUC backs Labour curb on unions

By TIM JONES, EMPLOYMENT CORRESPONDENT

itself against accusations that it was in the pockets of the unions after the TUC Congress backed its employment law proposals to curb industrial action.

After a bruising and at times vindictive debate, the dele-gates rejected left wing counter-proposals, which some nuion leaders believed make Labour unelectable.

The debate provoked a furious clash between Arthur Scargill, general secretary of the National Union of Mineworkers, and Norman

THE Labour leadership was Willis, general secretary of the confident last night that it TUC. Mr Scargill, to applause could approach the next gen- and cheers, said: "You are eral election able to defend supporting a move which supporting a move which betrays all the principles upon which we have fought for the past 25 years." As he did so, Mr Willis muttered into bis microphone: "That's

> Mr Willis' intervention stung Mr Scargill into calling him a "sumo wrestler" before he continued his speech. Later, Mr Willis apologised to Mr Scargill for his remarks claiming they had been made because of "extenuating circumstances".

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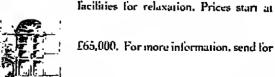
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Orwell ousts Marx in classroom revolution on the far bank of the Vistula while

From ROGER BOYES

IN WARSAW

FREUD is out, Orwell in. Lenin has stipped off the reading list and the Pope's writings are now compulsory. Thus, when the corridor bell rang out yesterday in the kindergartens, primary and grammar schools of Eastern Europe, they signalled not only the end of the summer holidays but also the dawn of a new educational system.

Post-communist governments have been busily weeding out "totalitarian" elements from the old curriculum and inserting classics of liberal thought in time for the beginning of the school year. The history syllabus has been overhauled and scripture classes are to be introduced in the three most Catholic-orientated countries, Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia. Public schools modelled on the British system are to provide competition to state education. The

changes are most thorough in Poland

where former dissident academics have been running the ministry of education for almost a year. Even so there has been no time to print and distribute new textbooks. Teachers have to rely on photocopied segments of the new thinking or scribble in the

margins of the communist-era books. Naturally enough, teachers of the 20th-century history courses have to put in the most work. Whole chapters devoted to the establishment of the Polish Communist party are now simply crossed or ripped out. Sometimes, though, it is enough to change a word. In the communist textbooks the Red Army "entered" Poland in 1939. Now the word is "attacked". A new chapter has been handed out dealing frankly with "Soviet policy towards Polish citizens". Deporta-

tions and arrests, once forbidden subjects, are back in the schoolroom.

The Soviet Union's ambiguous role

during the wartime Warsaw uprising, during which the Soviet Army stayed

insurgents, will be given a place in the The reading lists have been thoroughly combed. Victor Hugo's Gavroche is regarded as too socialist and is no longer compulsory. It has been replaced by Tolkien's Lord of the

the Germans put down the Polish

Rings, which some parents reckon to be a poor exchange. Maxim Gorky has been dropped from the compulsory reading of grammar school pupils and replaced with Bruno Schulz, the poignant Polish Jewish writer. Freud goes but Carl Jung is in. Dissident Soviet poets do well: Josef Brodsky, Osip Mandelshtam and Anna Akhmatova are all in favour.

In civic studies all marxist vocabulary has been excised. Social classes become social groups, parties do not fight for but participate in power. "A free society" is the source of power. The primacy of the workers is take some responsibility for how their nowhere to be found. The content minds will be furnished."

then is radically different. Unfortunately teaching methods are not. Although teachers' salaries have douhled or even trebled under the Solidarity government, the income is still not enough to attract new graduates. The teachers in the new liberal order are thus frequently the same people who taught the

oldcommunist texts. Out of frustratiion with the system parents and academics have been setting up private and public schools. The Church is also establishing its own schools in Poland and Hungary.

There are already 100 non-state schools in Poland, but the most prominent, Poland's Eton, is in Warsaw, "We want our pupils to get rid of the idea that they are learning only for grades," Dr Krystyna Starczewska, the headmistress, said yesterday. "Polish children have to develop their own motivation and

Hospital-acquired infections 'costing NHS £110m a year'

SOCIAL SERVICES CORRESPONDENT THE national health service spends more than £110 million a year treating infections which patients pick up while they are in hospital, microbiologists said yesterday. About 10 per cent of patients treated in hospital get infections during their stay, often after complicated surgery, which

after complicated surgery, which means they have to stay in hospital longer than planned.

A study carried out at Wycombe general hospital, High Wycombe, in Buckinghamshire, on 67 patients with hospital-acquired infections found that they had to stay in for eight more days than those who had similar operations but did not nick up an infection. but did not pick up an infection. Mary Cooke, of the Communicable Diseases Surveillance Centre in Colindale, north Lon-

don, said that the extra cost to the hiologist for Bloomsbury health NHS for each patient was £1,075, authority, said that three years ago NHS for each patient was £1,075, based on a daily bed cost of £127 plus additional investigative

procedures and antibionic therapy. The study found that infection was more likely to occur in some specialties than others. Nearly 15 per cent of patients undergoing gynaecological surgery became in-fected, compared with 9.2 per cent for urological and general surgery panients and \$.2 per cent for orthopaedic surgery patients. Speaking at the second inter-national congress of the Hospital Infection Society, Professor Cooke said that hospital-acquired infections also had a knock-on effect on community care costs, because extra nursing and domestic care were needed when patients were

Geoff Scott, a consultant micro-

hospital-acquired infections cost the NHS at least £111 million a year. Although many of the infections could not be avoided because of the patients' low resistance, Dr Scott argued that many medical staff ignored basic hygiene rules such as washing their

"We see doctors handling a patient and then immediately going on to the next one without disinfecting their hands." Britain also had far too few infection control nurses. "There should be an infection control nurse for every 250 beds, yet in

hands between treating patients.

this country there is only one nurse for every 1,200 patients." Gary French, a microbiologist at Guy's hospital, London, who has carried out research on hos-

pital-acquired infections in Hong Kong, showed that patients were ten times more likely to die if they became infected in hospital. A study carried out at the Prince of Wales Hospital in Hong Kong, where infection rates fell from 9 per cent to 6 per cent in three years after infection-cootrol procedures were introduced, showed that infected patients stayed in hospital for an extra 20 days and cost an extra £70 in antiobiotic costs.

From this, Dr French estimated that 133 lives were saved at the hospital in the three years and more than £4 million in antibiotic costs and bed days.

Dr Peter Davey, of Dundee university, pointed out the human costs of hospital-acquired infection. A preliminary study showed that hysterectomy patients who had had hospital infections took had been discharged. Two weeks after they had been discharged, 11 per cent of those who had been infected were able to carry out household duties compared to 14 per cent of those who had not been infected.

Research being conducted at Ninewells hospital, Dundee, shows that many wound infections did not become apparent until the patient had been dis-charged, Dr Davey said. For quick operations such as hernias and varicose veins, where patients stayed in hospital for only a short time, two-thirds of the infection started after they had been discharged. Dr Davey pointed out that infected patients in hospital often occupied beds that could be

nsed for acute admissions. New measures to safeguard patients' rights during operations and to ensure that procedures are not carried out without their informed consent were announced by the government yesterday.

The move comes after complaints that women have been given mastectomies against their consent when they thought they were undergoing an exploratory operation for breast cancer. Clearer consent forms to be signed by doctor and patient and which encourage patients to become more involved in their treatment will have to be used in all hospitals

from January 1991. Virginia Bottomley, the health minister, yesterday said: "No longer do patients wish to be treated as passive recipients of health care. They expect to be involved in decisions about their own treatment." The old consent

and defensive aspects of obtaining consent, were out of date and too remote from patient concerns.

The new forms require medical

staff to fill in the details of any operation, investigation or treatment they wish to undertake with information about the type of

anaesthetic to be used. They also have to declare that this has been explained fully to the patient and-or to a parent or

Patients have to agree to the procedure and the anaesthetic and acknowledge that the operation may not be done by the doctor who has treated them so far. If patients do not wish any particular procedure to be carried out they have to tell the doctor beforehand. They can also refuse to take part in a formal training programme.

Judges and Bar force rethink on sentencing reform plan

By QUENTIN COWDRY, HOME AFFAIRS CORRESPONDENT

MINISTERS have been forced to rethink a radical proposal that courts should ignore offenders' previous records in most sentencing decisions, because of criticism from judges, magistrates and barristers, it was disclosed yesterday.

The Home Office has been told by sentencers that the proposal, a key plank in the government's plans to persuade courts to use community punishments more often when dealing with non-violent offenders, could undermine their authority and increase crime rates.

As a result, the Home Office is hurriedly attempting to devise a compromise that will not totally undermine the idea, integral to the planned shake-up, that courts should, in general, strictly base sentencing decisions on the offeoce committed.

Ministers always knew it would be a struggle persuading sentencers to disregard previous convictions, but judged that they would

Magistrates

concerned

over court

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By our legal affairs

CORRESPONDENT

MAGISTRATES may seek to

impose time limits on criminal

proceedings before them because

of concern that it is taking more

than 18 weeks to process the more

serious cases. In particular, they

are worried that the average length

of adjournments has risen to 26

days, a level described as un-

acceptable in the latest issue of

The Magistrate, the journal of the

A working party has drawn up draft guidelines that will call for a

much tougher stance when grant-

ing adjournments, and closer questioning of the reasons for them put forward by lawyers.

Yesterday, an association of-ficial said that lawyers might seek

adjournments because they had

not received all the papers from

police or because a key person had

not attended court. However

there was concern about whether

the reasons given for adjourn-

ments were always genuine. The official added: "Solicitors some-

times say they don't have a document when they may be going on holiday."
The latest Home Office figures

show that the time taken to pro-

cess indictable cases through mag-

istrates' courts in February this year was 128 days, nine days more

than two years ago. The journal expresses particular concern about

adjournments whose average length rose during 1989 to 26 days, from between 22 and 24 days

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be willing to adopt a new approach if provided with a wider range of non-custodial sanctions, some of which would be designed for repeated use on criminals who committed identical offences.

A senior Home Office source said yesterday: "The government is determined to get sentencers to budge a little on the principle hut it is being forced to listen to their serious criticisms."

Rosemary Thomson, a deputy chairman of the Magistrates' Association, said it believed the proposal would make the courts look silly. "Magistrates' courts deal with lots of people who commit offences many times and it is just not sensible that we sbould not be able to vary the punishment in line with how often the individual has appeared before

She cited the bypothetical case of an offender aged under 21 convicted of causing actual bodily harm. "If he had a clean record the court might well move down tariff and impose a probation order, but if that individual has a string of similar offences and has failed to respood to community penalties many magistrates would consider he should go to prison," she said.

Mrs Thomson, bowever, said the association strongly supported the main thrust of the government's proposals, due to be introduced in a criminal justice bill this autumn; magistrates keen to see more offenders dealt with in the community.

Jonathan Kaplan, vice-chairman of the Bar Council's public affairs committee, said barristers were also sceptical of the proposal.
"There may well be an argument in favour of shorter prison terms but to say you should take out of the scales an offender's previous response to sentences is wholly unrealistic," be said. "How can a sentencer impose the same penalty on an offender who has already failed to respond to it?"

A number of senior judges are also understood to have conveyed their misgivings about the plan to

The white paper, Crime, Justice and Protecting the Public, published in February, said the planned new sentencing framework would build on the Court of Appeal's ruling that offenders should not be punished for previous offences. Courts, though, would be encouraged to disregard the rule when sentencing persis-tent violent and sexual offenders.



Commercial abseilers cleaning the glass roof of the Meadowhall Centre, a £400 million shopping and leisure complex near Sheffield that opens to the public today. The centre, of 1.5 million square feet, is on the site of a former steelworks and has 223 shops

Meat industry leaders protest to embassy over French riots

By MICHAEL HORNSBY, AGRICULTURE CORRESPONDENT

to the French embassy in London promotion. yesterday that British beef and Attacks of lamb exports to France were not getting adequate protection against continuing attacks by riot-

ing French farmers. Geoffrey John, chairman of the Meat and Livestock Commission, told the acting French ambas-sador, Patrick Villemur, that exports worth £7 million a week were at risk. Disruption of trade over the last three months had already reduced export earnings by an estimated £15 million.

"We are not prepared to suc-cumb to intimidation," Mr John said after visiting the embassy. He disclosed that he was flying to Paris tonight to reassure French importers that every effort would be made to ensure that supplies of British lamb and beef would

continue to get through.

"We are very concerned about the situation. We have just heard that a leading French retailer has cancelled a major promotion of British meat because of fears that their shops might be attacked," Mr John said. He refused to identify the retailer hut said that an extra £500,000 in meat sales

MEAT industry leaders protested had been hoped for from the market for exports of British beef,

Attacks on British care meat and livestock continued last weekend, according to Bob Bansback, head of the commission's export department. "In some cases, the farmers were armed with shotguns and police stood by and made no attempt to intervene," he said.

On Sunday afternoon, a contaioer of frozen beef was ambushed at a processing plant at Parthenay, southwest France. Farmers poured petrol on the meat and set it on fire. The company which owned the container said it would carry no more itish cargoes.

On Saturday night, the commission said, a convoy of 17 lorries had been halted between Calais and Paris by a road block of hurning railway sleepers. Farmers were said to have smashed the windscreen of at least one lorry cootaining sheep. The British embassy in Paris had given warning that busloads of French farmers were expected at Channel ports today to intercept British imports, Mr John said.

France is hy far the biggest

lamb and mutton, accounting last year for £300 million of exports

million out of total livestock exports of £82 million. Some 300 Welsh beef and sheep farmers, who are particularly dependent on the French market, are due to add their voices to the protest today with a mass lobby of

worth £500 million, and for £48

the embassy. A variety of factors is behind the depressed beef market in the EC. Production is rising while con-sumption is falling, imports of live cattle from Eastern Europe are going up, and markets in Kuwait and Iraq have been lost. Sheep prices are down about 10 per cent because of an excess of supply. Yesterday, Jacques Delors, the

European Commission president, told West Germany to keep cheap East German meat out of the EC. Interviewed by French television, he said that it was usually up to EC member states to control beef imports and that so far there was no evidence of a surge in volume. But if, for example, statistics these next few months show that the steps we have taken are inadequate, we will act," he said.

Stoll Moss theatres not for sale

By SIMON TAIT ARTS CORRESPONDENT

STOLL Moss, which owns 13 West End theatres, is not for sale after the death of the company's owner, Robert Holmes à Court.

Roger Fowler, joint managing director of Stoll Moss, said last night: "We have been told by Mrs Holmes à Court that it's business as usual, the company is not on the market."

Janet Holmes à Court con-firmed within hours of her husband's death that she and her son would be taking control of Heytesbury, the Holmes a Court company that owns Stoll Moss, and that his British interests would continue to grow in the way the chairman would have

Stoll Moss, which owns some of London's finest theatres, includ-ing the Palladium, the Theatre Royal in Drury Lane, and the Coliscum, has embarked on a multi-million pound expansion and refurbishment of its properties and is looking for others to acquire. The company is valued at £50-£80 million.

Really Useful stake, page 21

you can get in Japan, but that he still manages to speak out loudly when other Tokyo company chair-

men dare not mumble into their

When the Recruit financial scandal blew up two years ago, tarnishing several leading politic-

ians accused of influence-ped-

dling, it was criticism from Mr

Ishihara that helped to keep the

affair burning on the front pages and eventually to force Noboru. Takeshita to stand down as prime

minister. That Mr Ishihara was speaking as head of the influential

Japan Association of Corporate

Executives made his outbursts

The business community and the Liberal Democratic Party have run Japan together almost since

the war. For good measure, Mr Ishibara told his fellow company

chairmen that if they were le

even more remarkable.

Father offers murder hunt reward of £100,000

THE father of a murdered fastfood businessman yesterday of-fered a £100,000 reward for information leading to the convic-tion of the killers of his son and a business asociate (Craig Seton writes). The reward is believed to be one of the largest offered by a private individual during a criminal investigation.

Gary Thompson, aged 32, who ran a mobile hot dog and hamburger business, was shot dead outside his home in the Oadby district of Leicester last Tuesday. About £40,000 in takings was stolen from his Bentley car. John Weston, aged 29, from Stoke on Trent, Staffordshire, was also shot and died later in hospital.

Edgar Thompson, of Great Glen, Leicestershire, ,former head of the family fast-food business, said yesterday that he was reasonably confident the reward would help to trap the killers of his son. He would not reveal how the reward money had been raised, hut said he had received offers of financial help from family, friends and his son's business associates. Detectives believe robbery was

the most likely motive, although they have not ruled out the possibility of a business feud. Two men were seen driving from the scene of the killings.

Prison strain

Brendan O'Friel, governor of Strangeways jail, Manchester, at the time of the April riots, has turned down a promotion because of the strain he and his family have been under recently. The Home Office announced yesterday that Mr O'Friel, who had been offered charge of a group of iails in London, would instead become governor of Risley remand centre, near Warrington, Cheshire.

Air show visit

The prime minister yesterday spent more than five hours at the Farnborough air show watching the flying and being briefed on the latest aviation and missile technology, much of which is with forces in the Gulf. She arrived by helicopter, avoiding a 15-mile traffic jam caused by the discovery of a suspicions package near the main entrance. It was blown up by bomb disposal experts.

Action on asthma

A campaign by doctors aimed at helping asthma sufferers to live normal lives while reducing the disease's beavy burden on the health service and society was launched yesterday in London. The campaign, Action Asthma, believes too few doctors are diagnosing or aggressively tackling an illness affecting more than two million people and claiming 2,000 lives annually in the UK.

Triple murder

Police in Diss, Norfolk, were last night questioning a man aged 30 about a "brutal and savage" triple murder involving the town's South Korean community. The stabbed bodies of a young boy and two men in their 20s were discovered at two houses. A woman and a young girl were seriously ill in hospital suffering from stab wounds. They were under police guard last night.

Nuclear triggers

Committal proceedings began at Brent magistrates' court yesterday against three people and a company in connection with the seizure at Heathrow airport of 40 nuclear detonating triggers alleg-edly destined for Iraq. Those accused are Toufic Found Amyuni, aged 37, Ali Ashour Daghir, 49, Jeanine Celestine Speckman, 41, and Euromac Ltd.

CORRECTION

In an interview published on August 15, Begum Nusrat Bhutto made certain remarks about a "foreign minister" in her hus-band's government. We have been asked to make it clear that these remarks referred to a former foreign secretary and not to the late Mr Aziz Ahmed, the former foreign minister.

Councils seek aid to soften oil-price blow

By Douglas Broom, local government correspondent

COUNCIL leaders are to press the government for an extra £25 million to cushion the impact of rising fuel costs on next year's poli tax hills. The local authority associations will put their case to Chris Patten, the environment

secretary, at a meeting in a fortnight's time originally called to settle next year's revenue support grant for councils.

Mr Patten will be told that rises in the price of heating oil, petrol and diesel fuel due to the Gulf crisis could add at least £1 a head to next year's poll tax bills, for which Mr Patten's estimate is £379. The associations say that if the crisis worsens, additional price rises could increase bills further.

According to figures published by the Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy, councils in England spent £76 million on fuel oil last year to heat public huildings ranging from town halls to schools. The institute predicts that the latest round of fuel price rises will increase that figure to £117 million for the this financial year, £27 million above what councils expected to pay.

Petrol prices on the Rotterdam spot market have risen by 40 per cent since the invasion of Kuwait, adding significantly to couocils' costs in running vehicle fleets.

A spokesman for the Torycontrolled Association of District Councils said: "We have already said that hy making efficiency savings, we can keep roughly to the government's community charge figure for next year. But if the government wants us to hold the poll tax at the level it has suggested it will have to help us."

Knighted Nissan chief known as outspoken critic of corruption

From Joe Joseph in Tokyo

NISSAN, which has travelled a long way since the days when Japanese cars were things you bought when cash was tight and you didn't mind the neighbours sniggering, has finally arrived in British society with an honorary knighthood for its chairman, Takashi Ishihara.

While his golfing partners may dub him "Sir Nissan" in the cluhhouse, they will certainly not call him "Sir Takashi", not only because Mr Ishihara, like those other honorary knights, Ronald Reagan and Bob Geldof, is not allowed to call himself "Sir", but also because the Japanese address each other by surnames. Many Japanese cannot recall the first names of even close friends or of workmates they have sat next to

for years. It has probably done Mr Ishihara little harm that he adores Mrs Thatcher. She runs Britain in a way that might be thought remarkable in many countries, but which makes jaws drop in Japan, where political decisions often emerge as

mysteriously as a new pope. Mr Ishihara, who is 78 and who has been with Nissan since leaving university in 1937, will receive the insignia of an Hooorary Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire (Hon KBE) on Friday at the British Embassy in Tokyo from Sir John Whitehead, the British ambassador to Japan.



Ishihara: drew up plans for Nissan's British car plants

had deserted, and to British-Japanese relations, probably healthier than Japan's relations with most of its Western allies. As head of Nissan's export and



The honour recognises Nissan's contribution to the economy of Britain, where it led Japanese investors in building factories in places that British manufacturers

overseas operations in the early Sixties, Mr Ishihara drew up the company's plans to build plants in Britain and America. But what makes Mr Ishibara stand out from the blue-suited Japanese boardrooms is not only that he runs one of the world's bluest-chip companies and that his own background is about as blue-chip as

keen on stuffing yen into greedy politicians' pockets, such corrup-tion scandals would not erupt in the first place. Breaking ranks with the tonguetied government once again, he criticised the Chinese authorities after the Tiananmen Square massacre last year. Most of his friends, both in the cabinet and in company boardrooms, had seemed more worried about possible damage to Japan's political and economic interests in China. "It's no use waiting until I'm

head's justification for bluntness

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Purley rail crash driver is jailed for manslaughter

THE train driver who still cannot recall jumping the warning light, which led to five deaths in the Purley rail crash in south London, was last night beginning a sixmonth jail sentence.

Robert Morgan, aged 47, was jailed for 18 months, with one year suspended, after admitting at the Old Bailey two charges of manslaughter when the Littlehampton to Victoria service he was driving smashed into the back of the Horsham to Victoria train on March 4 last year.

Mr Justice Kennedy told him that the question of sentence was a difficult one. It was not necessary to involve an element of deterrence as train drivers were steady, responsible men and there was no need to warn them of the con-sequences of failing to respond correctly to signals.
"But it is important to remem-

ber this, the train driver's essential task is to watch for the signals and to obey them. He is not like a driver on the road with 101 things coming from different directions.

"I recognise that in some cases monotony can lead to error, but you had had a clear-run until yon reached the first signal that you cancelled. I have to reflect the public concern that those who provide services should do so carefully, conscious of the imsuch as yours." Hundreds of sengers placed themselves in the hands of the driver with complete trust, he said, and the consequences of an accident were

Morgan admitted the manslaughter of Colin Clark, aged 55, of Cobden, Worthing, West Sussex and Eric Simper, aged 55, of Fairview Avenue, Worthing. Three women, aged 63, 74 and 79 also died in the accident.

The judge said most of the sentence would be suspended because Morgan had not pre-tended that it was not his fault or contemplated throwing dust in the eyes of the investigators, and because he had been of particularly good character.
The court was told that Morgan,

who is unmarried and byed with his mother at Ferring, West Sus-sex, was commended in 1977 for helping a passenger who had fallen from a train and again in 1985 for spotting points that had been

wrongly set.
Julian Bevan, for the prosecution, said the accident, which sent six of the eight coaches on the Littlehampton train down an embankment killing five people and injuring 87, was caused by the failure of Morgan to pay heed to the signalling system. "He passed a red signal going far too fast to stop. He had been warned in

Punishment in line with previous cases

By Frances GIBB, LEGAL AFFAIRS CORRESPONDENT

THE jailing yesterday of the train driver who failed to heed warning signals, causing a crash in which five people were killed and 87 injured, is the latest in a line of cases where people have been prosecuted for manslaughter in connection with their work.

The manslaughter charges and custodial penalty are in line with previous cases. They also indicate an increasing willingness by courts to penalise such negligence as a crime that merits custody.

Graham Zellick, professor of public law at Queen Mary and Westfield College, London, said the sentence of imprisonment was appropriate. These prosecutions for manslaughter by gross negligence are not very common. They tend to be only in a handful of the conspicuous cases because there is a certain reluctance to. categorise the mistakes that people make in the course of their work as takes and has lapses of judgment."

In a recent case an anaesthetist was given a six-month suspended sentence after he left the operating table for refreshments and the patient died. In another an electrician's faulty work led to the death of a 23-year-old father. The electrician was given a ninemonth suspended sentence. Professor Zellick said manslaughter through gross negligence differed from other serious crimes in that neither intention nor recklessness was required. Lack of "intention" a normal ingredient of criminal law, made sentencing in such cases

The culpability is of a different order and these offenders do not seem to be criminals or offenders in the normal way." The closest parallel was with driving offences, which did not even require proof of carelessness. In such manslaughter cases, however, to constitute a crime there had to be a specific lapse, resulting in death, which "falls so far short of the minimum standards required that it is not just the sort of error one makes under rather difficult circumstances or under strain". It was right that there should be a custodial sentence to reflect that.

Martin Allen, solicitor co-Purley crash, said that had British Rail not admitted liability then the guilty plea of the driver would have been of help to the claimants in seeking compensation. As a result of yesterday's hearing he would investigate the possibility of exemplary damages, which are payable where there are factors over and above the usual criteria.

How safety system may end up being bypassed

MORE than 18 months after the 12.17 from Littlehampton to Victoria collided with another train at Purley station, British Rail is yet

to introduce fully several recommended safety measures.

The measures, which include the fitting of cab radios and supplying automatic braking sys-tems for trains, were called for in the Hidden report into the Clap-

ham rail disaster of December 1988, three months before Purley. British Rail recognises that safety measures urged by Hidden. would have been effective in preventing either accident. Errors

described yesterday in court proved that even supposedly failsafe systems, designed to prevent drivers from passing signal warnings, can fail.
At Purley, Robert Morgan

drove past an Automatic Warning System, which he was able to override. The system, which was being frued at Clapham at the time of the disaster, gives a visual warning and an alarm in the driver's carriage when each track-side warning light is given.

The first warning a double yellow light, tells the driver that a red light signal at which the train must stop is only two signals away. At this stage, the driver can simply press a button to acknowledge the warning, override the automatic braking system and continue.

At the second warning, a single vellow signal is given. Here, the driver must slow down to a specific speed in anticipation of the next light being red. British Rail conceded yesterday that the in-cah alarm and visual warnings at the second stage were identical to those at the first. Only the trackside signal light itself would differ.

The National Union of Railwaymen says that there were hundreds of cases a year of red lights being shot. British Rail would not yesterday confirm a figure for these cases, SPADs (Signal Passed at Danger), but agreed that the automatic system overriden at Purley was still

standard fitment. Research undertaken for BR indicates that drivers can experience prolonged monotony in the cab, causing them to automatically override warning signals.

Dr Martin Mogridge, a trans-port consultant at University College London, said: "If you are in a convoy of trains, there is tendency to assume that a double-yellow light is simply there because it has not yet acknowledged that the train in front has moved on."

advance of the possibility of that signal being red, the first [warning] being more than a mile from the red signal itself."

That first warning was a double yellow information signal 14 miles from the red light just beyond Purley station where the Horsham service was running about two minutes late and crossing on to the slow track.

Morgan's train was fitted with an advance warning system that rang a bell in the cab if the lights were green. With a single yellow light, or a double yellow light, a horn sounded and the driver had to press a button acknowledging the warning in order to cancel an automatic breaking system that would come into effect within

This he did at the double yellow ignal "which does not oblige the driver to reduce speed then and there, but to be prepared to pull up if the next signal is a single yellow warning that the next signal is red", Mr Bevan said.

Thereafter he passed a single yellow informing him that the next was likely to be red and he failed to pay heed to that signal by reducing the speed of his train so he could stop before the red. He was going too fast to avoid the

Consequently, the train was travelling at about 70 mph through Puricy station when Morgan spotted the red signal, which could be seen from only 321 yards away because the station canopyobscured the view. Morgan applied the brakes but 215 yards beyond that signal the train careered into the other.

Morgan, whose cab ended up facing the way it had come, received facial and neck injuries. When interviewed in hospital he said that his mind was hazy and that he could only remember seeing the red signal and not overriding the single yellow one. He told his questioner: "I don't



Morgan: too late to avoid crash after jumping warning signals

remember anything about the signals before the red. If you say I was at fault, I accept responsibility."

Brian Leveson, for the defence, said Morgan, who had worked for British Rail for 30 years, had no recollection of the cartier signals. One could only infer that Mor-

gan misread the single yellow signal for a double one. It was not unusual to continue up the line passing repeated double yellow signals, particularly in a case such as this when the train was following the Gatwick Express.

Mr Leveson suggested that studies conducted for Britsh Rail might shed some light on how a driver of such good record could make a mistake. Monotony had been shown to be a contributory factor to "signal passed at danger" incidents, which occurred once in

every 24 driver years. Leaders of Morgan's union last night instructed lawyers to lodge an appeal against the severity of his sentence, claiming the driver was suffering from the con-sequences of British Rail's out-

dated safety systems. Officials of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and remen are worried that Britain's 18,000 train drivers may take unofficial strike action in protest at the sentence. Some believe budget cuts have lowered safety

The union was last night asking staff to remain calm while lega advice was sought on a possible

Derrick Fullick, Aslef general secretary, said last night: "I am stunned by the severity of the sentence. It seems to me that there is one law for the worker and one law for the corporate body. My drivers are driving without the safety advantages that are provided for their counterparts on the



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Soon to be another landscaped green: construction under way for Stockbrook Manor Golf Club, in countryside near Billericay, Essex

Hard facts of farm life are beating ploughed fields into golf courses

ON THE northern edge of Billericay, in Essex, a mile or so south of the pretty village of Stock, a stretch of farmland is being carved np by earth-moving machines in what might at first sight be assumed to he an act of vandalism.

Closer inspection reveals that this is not an extreme attempt to curb Britain's agricultural surpluses by reducing ploughed fields to a lunar landscape of bumps and craters. The site is simply in the throes of being turned into yet another solf course.

The company performing the task, AST Leisure Surfaces, of Witham, Essex, is one of a number engaged in altering the face of the countryside, changing fields into fairways and pastures into putting greens to meet what appears to be an insatiable demand for room to swing a club.

Ted Watson, AST's managing director, is a relaxed, affable man who spent the first 30 years of his working life as an agricultural contractor specialising in land drainage. In 1969, he led a management buy-out of a subsidiary company of Fisons, the chemical group, and built up what he says was at the time the largest drainage firm in Europe.

The Seventies were the boom every sort of incentive to "improve' land to increase production. In 1985, there was an abrupt change in government policy; the ending of drainage grants coincided with a dry winter and the beginning of the decline in farm incomes. "Business virtually came to a halt within three weeks." Mr Watson recalls.

For a time, he was able to switch his manpower and equipment into constructing sports grounds for schools and local authorities, but that offered only limited opportunities, and he was quick to realise that golf courses provided a more

lucrative future. So far, he has built four courses. and another dozen or so are under construction or being planned. He has also been approached by landowners in Germany, France and the Canary Islands, but is anxious not to overexpand. "Why should I go abroad if I gan get plenty of work in Essex?" he asks. r It is a topically pertinent question. Within the last three years, in Essex alone, there have been an estimated 75 planning applications for new golf courses, 13 for

Tough times for agriculture and rising interest in golf are making construction of courses attractive to landowners but, as John Young reports, farm fairways pose questions for conservationists, planners and those hoping to profit

extensions to existing courses, and

ten for driving ranges.

Recently, the county council decided to bold talks with 13 district councils and the eastern region of the Sports Council to form a policy on the siting of courses. A report to the county council's development control sub-committee claimed that, if all the applications were approved. they would swallow 15,000 acres of countryside and lead to a proliferation of associated developments, such as hotels, restaurants

and sports complexes. The golf course "boom" is a new phenomenon. Until three or four years ago, the market for new facilities was widely considered to be virtually moribund. According to Strutt & Parker, the land agent, very few new courses had been constructed since the last war.

Golf was dominated by traditional clubs with limited memberships and long waiting lists. Clubs were run by their members for their own benefit with little thought of commercial gain; all they wanted was to be able to purexclusive manner for as low a subscription as possible.

However, last year, the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews, effectively the ruling body for the sport, published a report that concluded that, if

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demand were to be satisfied, some 700 new courses would need to be constructed by the year 2000. That would amount to an increase of more than a third in the total and would mean building virtually as many courses in the final decade of the century as had been completed in the previous 80 years.

That might have been dismissed

as wishful thinking but for the fact that it coincided with a sharp decline in agricultural incomes, a collapse in farmland prices and the introduction of the "set-aside" scheme whereby farmers would be paid for taking land out of production. Farmers could not build or even graze cattle on setaside land, but golf courses were considered a permissible use, on the reasoning that, in the event of a food crisis, the land could easily be restored to agricultural use.

For many hard-pressed farmers, golf seemed to offer a lifeline. However, land agents and bodies such as the Country Landowners' Association were quick to warn their members that it was not an automatic bonanza. New courses where demand was high, which did not necessarily correspond with those where surplus farmland was readily available, they said. The most likely locations were in areas of scenic and environmental

value, which might upset conserv-

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well be rejected.
"The third is 'Who finance the building of the course?. We are talking about anything between £1 million and £6 million, and bow many farmers have that sort of money? Most of them are living on overdrafts, and the banks certainly aren't going to lend them the money. So, it means finding an investor, a leisure company of a developer to put up the

ationists. A satisfactory golf

course could not be built on a flat,

had been done into local demand.

How was it possible to decide how

many people really wanted to take

up the game but had been pre-

vented from doing so because of

the impossibility of joining an existing club? If oew facilities were

provided, bow far would people be

prepared to travel and how often

Mr Watson agrees with all these

caveats. He attributes part of the

sudden rise in public interest in

golf to television; like snooker, it is

a highly "televisual" game. It also

lends itself to the new vogue for

that the market may become over-

supplied with indifferent courses.

He has had to reject many sites as

environmentally unsuitable, too

remote or lacking adequate access.

first question I ask them is 'Are

you going to get people to play there?"," he says. "The second is

whether they are prepared to pay

up to £10,000 or more in applying

for planning consent, which may

Mr Watson is also concerned that many landowners have no idea of the cost involved. The

He recognises a risk, bowever,

would they use them?

corporate entertaining.

Moreover, very little research

treeless "prairie".

Planning authorities are, he says, becoming noticeably more obstructive as applications continue to flood in, demanding upto-date land surveys, details of tree planting programmes and assurances about access and traffic. Objections are also predictably raised by local residents concerned to protect their privacy.

Conservationist bodies such as the Council for the Protection of Rural England do not seem to like golf courses much, either. However, the golfers' cause has found support from the government's Nature Conservancy Council, which earlier this year said that, given imaginative design and caremanagement, new courses

Existing Proposed or could be a boon to wildlife.

Aids-like disease in ferrets threatens wildlife

By NICK NUTTALL TECHNOLOGY CORRESPONDENT

SOME of Britain's native animal species, still recovering after centuries of persecution, could be

at risk from an Aids-like disease that has been found in pet ferrets. The virus, which causes an incurable illness called aleutian disease, has been identified by Michael Oxenham, a Southampton vet and bonorary member of the Wessex Ferret Cinb, in tests on local animals. His findings have forced organisers of the world 16metre ferret racing championship, to be held this weekend at

Northington, near New Alresford, Hampshire, to call for animals to be tested before they compete. Wildlife experts fear that the

contagious disease, named after a strain of mink from the Aleutian Islands, in the Pacific, may be capable of crippling the immune systems of a family of animals called mustelids, of which the ferret is a member. The group includes the British polecat, badger, weasel, stoat and ofter.

Ferrets, prized by countrymen for their skills at catching rabbits in burrows, commonly escape into the wild and details of their distribution, collected by the In-

stitute of Terrestrial Ecology at Monks Wood, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire, show feral ferrets at large in southwest Scotland, the Isle of Man and northern and central England.

Britain's native mustelids numbers have been improving since the first world war, after a decline in the bunting of them as pests. Wildilfe experts say that it

might be only a matter of time before escaped ferrets, carrying aleutian disease, confront these expanding native populations as they advance from remote Weish and Scottish regions into feral ferret country. Don Jefferies, a

Nature Conservancy Council in Peterborough, said that of the British mustelids the polecat could be at greatest risk. The native polecat can breed with the ferret to produce a fertile hybrid, the fidgety ferret.

Dr Jefferies said that on mink farms, where the disease is thought to have originated, it was likely that infected animals were culled to minimise the spread. "When animals become pets people spend a lot of time keeping them alive. The problem is that if you use a ferret for rabbiting they sooner or later escape," he said.



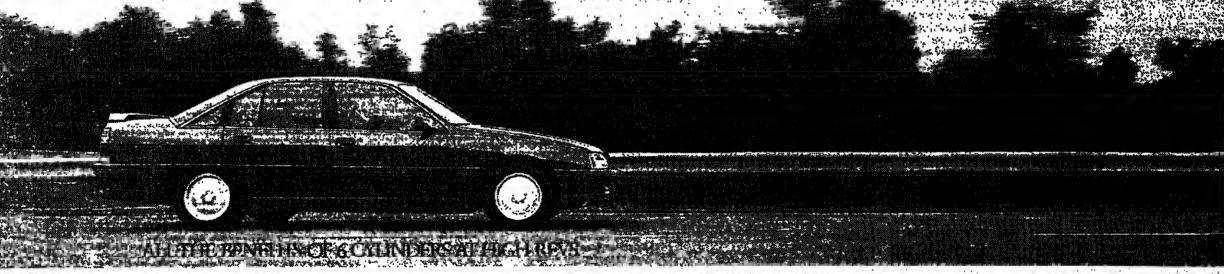
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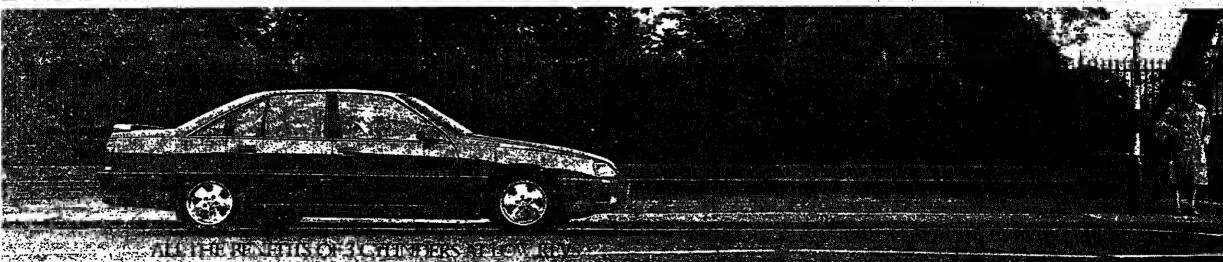
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Labour predicts big teacher shortage when term begins

By SHEILA GUNN, POLITICAL REPORTER

LABOUR estimated yesterday that about 130,000 pupils will return to school this week without a properly qualified permanent teacher in front of

Jack Straw, the shadow education secretary, told a that a survey for the Labour authorities confirmed a rise in resignations by demoralised teachers resulting in 6,500 vacancies in state schools at the start of the new school

After hearing the survey's and stress over the reforms. Sindings John MacGregor, the education secretary, said on BBC Radio 4's Today programme that the level of guarantee that no child would be a survey's and stress over the reforms. Mr Straw said: "John MacGregor must now say whether, at long last, be is ready to guarantee that no child would be a survey of the teacher vacancies was broadly comparable to the level under the last Labour administra-They just proved to be un-true," he added. parents' rights to education."

The reliance on overseas

While there were problems in London with recruiting and retaining teachers, the vacancy rate outside London was running at about 1.3%, he said. Mr Straw said that the rising trend in vacancies had every 100 entrants to teacher been confirmed by the education department's own figures published in January, which showed about 6,500

The Labour party survey is based on questions to 30 out of the I12 English and Welsh education authorities, representing a regional and political cross-section. The survey found that although the week. resignations at primary schools had gone down slightly over the past year,

resignations of secondary vacancy rate in greater school teachers from 14,400 in London. Mr MacGregor says school teachers from 14,400 in 1989 to 15,500 this year. Most authorities commented on problems recruiting this summer and the decline in "qual-

ity" applicants.

Kent county council re-Westminster press conference ported: "A market research and most educationists accept sample of teachers who had party of local education left showed low morale and are right. While Mr Straw's disenchantment with bureaucratic overload from education department initiatives." Barnet council in north local education authorities Loudon blamed "disenchantment" based on low morale

be without a properly quali-fied teacher in front of his or her class. His failure so far to tion in 1979. "Mr Straw made give this guarantee makes a the same accusations last year. mockery of children's and

> teachers to fill some teacher. shortages was a national humiliation. He added that there was a

training, only 34 remained in teaching five years after

The education department yesterday launched its own survey of teacher vacancies as most local authorities pre-dicted that they would be fully staffed (John O'Leary writes). Mr MacGregor promised a national picture by the end of

The department's January survey showed a 50 per cent increase in vacancies in two there had been a rise in years with a 5.3 per cent

the national vacancy rate of 1.8 per cent is low compared with other professions. The debate over unfilled

vacancies is an annual one between the political parties, that, statistically, both sides figures may have been accurate last month, the efforts made in the past few weeks by will have filled many of the vacant posts.

However, many classes will be taught by temporary or part-time staff, and most of the large number of overseas recruits will return home at the end of the school year. Thus the argument that classes will not be taught by "property qualified permanent teachers" is also true.

Most vacancies yesterday were in primary schools, with Hackney, in east London, the worst affected. It is seeking 54 primary teachers, 26 staff for secondary schools and six for special schools. Its term begins today and the authority has been arranging temporary cover to try to ensure no children are sent home.



taking part in North West Water's count of birds at its Hollingworth reservoir, which was built in the last century near Rochdale, Lancashire. North West Water is to study the

of wildfowl and wading birds using it (Ronald Fanx writes). It is one of 200 sites to be studied over the next year in the first such study of bird life among water companies. The work

will be done by the Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust to discover how wildlife co-exists with recreational activity. The lake, a feeder for the Rochdale Canal, is a busy recreational centre for east Lancashire

enthusiasts, fishermen, hird-watchers and other visitors. The information gathered will allow North West Water to manage the reservoir in a

First student loan already under way

By JOHN O'LEARY, HIGHER EDUCATION CORRESPONDENT

wait only three weeks for loans puter system would keep colunder the government's new scheme, the company admin- The company would pursue istering it promised yesterday. debtors through the courts in The first application, from a Britain and, if an economic London university student in proposition, abroad.
France for the year, is already. "Like any bank or financial France for the year, is already.

works, expects 85 per cent of very preferential terms."

Students on designated courses will need only a bank or building society account and a certificate of eligibility from their college to qualify ing because the British tended for a loan of between £240 and to have a conscientious approach to repayments.

Students on, who has 30 years experience in lending and collection businesses, said that he took an optimistic view on defaulting because the British tended to have a conscientious approach to repayments. Students will be able to apply for a loan at any time during the academic year and may opt to receive a lump sum or payments in two or three instalments. Interest will be added each year at the rate of inflation for the previous year.

of 108, fully equipped offices and what is almost certainly the world's most advanced a graduate's gross income falls computer system for handling below a set sun, which this student loans. It will be unique among student loan. schemes because it combines provide information is being universality of entitlement, a operated on 0345 300900. highly subsidised interest rate and repayment arrangements.

STUDENTS should have to linked to income." The comlection costs to a minimum.

being processed.

The Student Loans Combany, based in Glasgow, recover had debts," Mr Harriwhich yesterday launched a son said. "I have a responsaison bow the scheme money, which is being lenn on works expects 35 per cent of years preferential terms."

first year. That would mean a April 1992 and the company total payout of about £200 has allowed for a 10 per cent million to 500,000 students. default rate at first, Mr Harri-Students on designated son, who has 30 years' experi-

> inflation for the previous year. Repayments will be deferred if a graduate's gross income falls A telephone helpline to

Woman gives a clue on 'vanishing lady'

at Sutton Brailes Manor near might be an heir to the house

Banbury, in Oxfordshire.

Muriel Keyte, who lives in Devon, arrived at the pre-sale viewing and told surprised Sotheby's executives that she was not a blood relative of Mrs Allen and therefore here. was the only child of Robert
Allen, a wealthy corset manufacturer who died in 1965. Mr

Allen and therefore her
chances of inheriting the property were "pretty remote, but Allen's wife, Dorothea, died it has been immensely in-aged 89 in January. She did teresting to find out about my not leave a will and her £! million estate is being sold on the instructions of the Treasury. The house contents will

be auctioned tomorrow. Before she died, Mrs Allen destroyed anything that might give a clue to her past, including her husband's will,



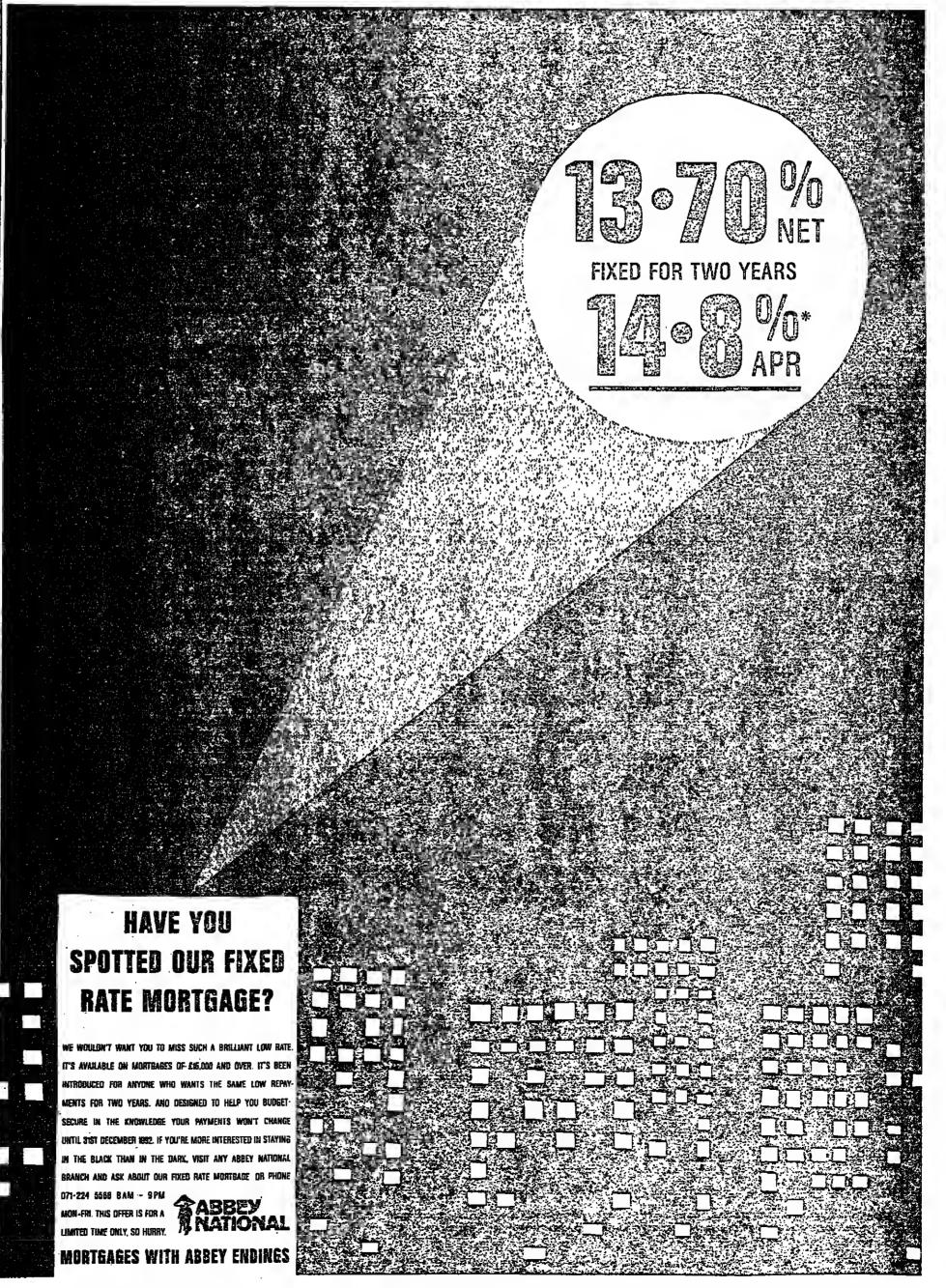
Dorothea Allen: detail from a wedding portrait

A POSSIBLE solution to the thus leading to her being mystery of "the vanishing described as the "vanishing lady" emerged unexpectedly lady". Officials have been trying unsuccessfully for months to trace a relative who

father after all these years". She said her father had been

called Eric in Sheffield but Robert in Banbury. She believes this was because the second "marriage" was bigamous; if discovered, he would probably have gone to prison. She told an extraordinary story of her father's desertion in 1921, stemming from the change in his character when he returned from army service in India. Her mother, who died 11 years ago, had built a

Sotheby's took Mrs Kryte on a tour of the manor. She nearly broke down when she saw two minor pictures not included in the auction. No one knew the identity of the subject but she recognised it immediately as her father. The firm has given them to her and she said last night she would keep them "as a little momento of the past".



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YOUR HOME IS AT RISK IF YOU DO NOT KEEP UP REPAYMENTS ON A MORTGAGE OR OTHER LOAN SECURED ON IT.

THE trade unions wield more power in the Labour party than ever, Michael Howard, the employment secretary, said yesterday as the Conservatives sought to take the gloss off TUC backing for Neil Kinnock's more moderate approach to

Drawing on a new Conservative Central Office report on Labour's links with the unions, Mr Howard sought to portray the Opposition's reforms as cosmetic and union backing for them as cynical and fraudulent.

The small print of Labour's latest policy statement would restore secondary action and the flying picket, give unions unprecedented legal immunities and neuter the powers of the courts to punish unions that broke the law. Far

from curbing the unions, the Opposition proposals did not amount to a "a row of beans", Mr Howard said. The TUC leadership's endorsement of Labour's apparent acceptance of much of the legislation of the past decade was a "cynical electoral trick", he added at a press conference in London.

For !! years the Conservatives had been putting their beliefs into action in what had come to be known as con-viction politics, but the debate at Blackpool would provide another taste of the Labour answer, camouflage and cover-up politics, in which they tried to keep hidden as much as possible of what they believed, to trick people into trusting Labour with their vote. Labour policy would "make Ron Todd and Arthur Scargill laugh all the way to the picket line".

Norman Willis, the TUC general

as ill-tempered and intemperate and said the employment secretary should welcome the TUC debate on employment law. "As a potitician, he might, of course, feel that the trade unions are moving in a direction that he will find difficult to sneer at, but that's his problem."

Ken Gill, the general secretary of MSF, the white-collar manufacturing union, said that relying on central office to produce an objective assessment of the unions was "like putting Dracula in charge of the blood transfusion service". He added that Labour's proposals would do no more than bring Britain barely up

to minimum international standards.

The strength of Mr Howard's attack is an indication of Tory concern that Labour's policy-makers and media advisers have stolen some of Margaret Thatcher's ciothes and blurred Labour's

electorally damaging image as an agent of union power. Offering a foretaste of the next general election campaign, the employment secretary's broadside also signalled the Conservatives' determination to continue to portray their rivals as in the pockets of the unions.

The central office report maintains that the unions domination of finance, personnel and policy means that they "effectively run the Labour party". About 140 Labour MPs, more than half the parliamentary party and the highest proportion since 1935, are sponsored by unions under arrangements that allow them to pay the bulk of MPs' election expenses and agents' salaries. Of the shadow cabinet, 18 of the 20 members are sponsored by trade unions, and they choose 12 of the 29 members of the party's ruling national executive committee (NEC). About three-quarters of

and the planned reform of the block vote after the next election will still leave them controlling 70 per cent of the votes at the Labour conference.

Mr Howard said: "The report demonstrates that the unions wield more power in the Labour party today than ever before. Neil Kinnock's much trumpeted constitutional reforms will barely scratch the surface of union domination of his party, and will not even take effect until after the next election. This is why, however many tough words Neil Kinnock employs (in his speech to the conference today, he knows the unions would call the shots under a Labour government."

The central office report accuses

Labour of opposing all the union reforms introduced by the government since 1979 and of not challenging a single strike in recent years. Quoting from Looking to the Future, Labour's policy document, it points out that sympathy strikes would be allowed where there was strikes would be allowed where there was a direct interest between two groups of workers, and that Labour has set no specific limit to the number of pickets allowed during a dispute. Labour's plans to restrict the powers of the courts to sequestrate union funds and to stop employers winning injunctions to halt a strike are also attacked.

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However, a Labour spokesman said it was untrue to suggest that the NEC had not accepted a statutory limit on the number of pickets. The policy review specified that there should be statutory limit. The party's code of conduct applied a limit of six pickets and since there was such a limit in law at present, and I also did not intend to change and Labour did not intend to change that, there was no point in specifying it.

Party delight at backing for jobs law package

By TIM JONES AND PETER MULLIGAN

law package last night as laying to rest the ghost of the militant industrial disruption that contributed to the defeat of the last Labour government.

ployment spokesman said that have the chance to obtain yesterday's debate at the TUC something we did not have in in Blackpool had cleared the the Seventies and we need way for a new agenda in the desperately today, that is the Nineties concerned with chance to have the trade union skills, training, equal opportu-nities and a constructive tem of law. The law is part of partnership with business.

Michael Howard, the employment secretary, dismissed the debate as irrelevant and maintained that, whatever the public posture adopted by the TUC leadership and the Opposition, Labour remained wedded to restoring to the unions all their old powers.

After a passionate and at times stormy debate, the conference voted by 4.404.000 to 3,529,000 to defeat a motion by the National and Local ·Government Officers' Association which demanded the repeal of all anti-union legislation and the restoration of

secondary picketing. endorse a new settlement, the season." based on fairly balanced rights

LABOUR leaders hailed and responsibilities. Warning TUC backing for the par-ty's revised employment said: In the harsh light of the Nincties the yearning for old immunities does not amount to a policy. It is more like a cry

for help.
"It is just not sensible to give any impression that we are asking for the trade unions Tony Blair, shadow em- 10 be above the law when we our future.

He said they would not get the consent and commitment from members "if we imply that we want to take away their right to a ballot on crucial issues like strikes and the election of union leadership. That won't wash and it

Of an open-ended right to take secondary action, he said; "I just do not believe that would be accepted in the court of public opinion, and that means our members' opinions

He added: "We cannot preissue for ever. Today is the Opening the debate, Norman Willis, TUC general secretary, asked delegates to shuttered and it is closed for of ballots for the election of

WHY SHOULDN'T A SM



Waiting his turn; Arthur Scargill, NUM leader, sitting at the back of the conference hall yesterday

Labour government could be elected with a commitment to occupy ourselves with this return to the way things were in 1979. No union should ask allots for the election of

union leaders which were seen not spoil our chances". Tony Young, general sec- to have given democratic

Tony Dubbins, general sec-

retary of the National Communications Union, said: "No Labour government could be action was unacceptable to the Labour government governmen right of union members to

Brenda Dean, general sec-retary of Sogat, said that the support of their brothers whose board Norman Willis next government would be a caught up in a separate dis- sits, that backed supportive He called for the retention Labour government "if we pute. He had deep reserva- action without restriction. He tions about some of the proposals from the TUC general council which were damaging and naive.

It was not surprising, he said, that Tory employers attacked the closed shop, but delegates were entitled to insist on support from the general council. "The general council have lost their way by advocating the trade union movement pick up the tab for free riders. Despite the waver-After loud applause, lie ing voices urging 'don't rock the boat', 'adapt a low profile reported to delegates that for the sake of public relations', we do nobody a favour

Some of us are beginning to union, he added: "First I have solidarity is all right in Poland but apparently no longer in

by endorsing faint-hearted

policies."

Alan Jinkinson, general secretary of Nalgo, said that many proposals by the Labour party on employment law ran counter to long-standing trade union beliefs. They were being asked to stand on their heads.

He said: "We have as great an interest in securing the government. return of a Labour government as any other union and our private polling indicates that our members will vote accordingly. But we do not believe, and we have opinion research behind us, that a robust defence of trade union

the International Coofedera-

said: "We cannot accept that, under a Labour government. the UK will be bracketed with South Africa and South Korea as an international pariah on this issue."

Arthur Scargill, president of the National Union of Mineworkers, said that support for the Labour party and the TUC general council on this issue would betray all the principles they had fought for

Norman Willis, sitting on the platform behind him, had shouted "rubbish". Mr Scargill added: "He should know". In a reference to the Daily There was loud applause Mirror's allegations of finan-when he told the congress: cial improprieties in his

sound like Margaret Thatcher: got Maxwell [against me] and now another sumo wrestler behind me". Time and again they had been told not to rock the boat

and to go for electorally acceptable policies. But ditching principle in that way was a recipe for disaster. He called for the repeal of all anti-union legislation introduced by the Conservative

Any attempt by a Labour government to retain sequestration of union funds would prevent trade unionists taking action in support of their fellow workers.

Standards 'under threat from foreign teachers'

By OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT

THE leader of Britain's biggest teachers' union is expected to warn delegates at the TUC conference today that educational standards are threatened by the government's policy of encouraging local education authorities to overcome staff shortages by hiring teachers from the

Commenting on a Labour survey suggesting that there would be 6,500 teacher vacancies this month at the start of the new school year, Dougias McAvoy, general secretary of the National Union of Teachers, said that numbers.

were only part of the problem. NUT members and parents were rightly worried whether teachers imported from counries such as Denmark, other European Community states, and Australasia were properly equipped to fill the gaps in British classrooms. The As-sociation of London Anthorities has estimated that 30 per cent of new vacancies are being filled from abroad.

Mr McAvoy said that he was not questioning the ability of foreign teachers. He and his members, however, were concerned whether they had the right levels of qualifications, training, and experience to adapt to the British educational system. There were also doubts about the level of their long-term commitment to

Mr McAvoy said that initial nfirmed the m Labour survey. The survey to cover the vacancies is not found that 130,000 children really the way to staff an would start the school year education service."

without a permanent, properly qualified teacher.

He suggested that teachers recuited from abroad might be given crash courses in the British educational system to help them to cope with what could prove unfamiliar prac-tices and expectations. NUT officials said that Mr McAvoy would return to the subject today when he speaks in a debate on education and

Speaking in Blackpool, Mr McAvoy said: "I do not suggest that European teachers are incompetent. But in some cases I do believe that they are not trained for the job they are being asked to do. That may be because they have been asked to teach a subject for which they have not got a high enough qualification or it may be they are being used in an education system for which they are not prepared.

"Without questioning the ability of teachers from other European countries in terms of their ability to teach, there is a fear among members that they are not trained with the ethos of our educational system in mind, that they are not fully conversant with out methods, and that they are not fully conversant with the expectations of parents or the

community. "Equally, there is no guarantee of their continued commitment to our schools. "So, more than last year, there is a fear being expressed figures reaching the NUT that this short-term expedient from regional offices broadly of the government and local

Britain 'may become tourist theme park'

BRITAIN could degenerate outdated schools with a shortinto an "old English theme age of teachers and books." park" under another Tory congress on behalf of the Labour Party.

cent of the country's workforce had skilled vocational training. That was lower than in Spain (56 per cent), West Germany (67 per cent), Italy (79 per cent) and France (80

per cent). Ms Richardson, chairman of the Labour party National Executive Committee, said that the pageantry of royal

from the sight of "tens of thousands sleeping in bed-and-breakfast sluma and in cardboard boxes and the old people waiting in pain for ing up for trade unions. What and children under-taught in more of them paying up."

She said that Labour was government, Jo Richardson, still riding high in the polls MP, said in an address to the and expressed her belief that the party would win the next general election.

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She said that only 38 per Trade union membership fell by nearly 3 per cent last year, Norman Willis, TUC general secretary, told the congress. "That is far too

He urged delegates not to use, as an excuse for falling membership, the decline in full-time employment, the rise in part-time and temporary jobs and the redrawing of the family events, Royal Ascot industrial map. This was an and Henley, would delight the opportunity.

The cited an opinion poll

However, the tourists showing that 80 per cent of the would have to be kept away public believed that trade unions were essential to pro-Mr Willis added: "It is great to see so many people speak-

three years for hip operations we have got to do is to get a lot

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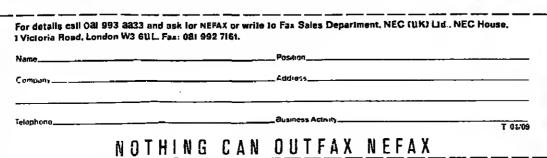
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Male, white, middle-aged image attacked

SHARP criticism of the trade unions' membership profile was voiced by Ada Maddocks when she delivered the president's address at the opening of the

Urging that recruitment should be a top priority, she called for renewed efforts to change the image of the movement which, she said, was still "male, middle aged to elderly and white".

She was speaking against a background of falling union membership since Margaret Thatcher became prime min-ister, from 12 million in 1979 to under 8.5 million now, the lowest for 26 years. Miss Maddocks, the fifth woman to hold the office of president in the TUC's 122-year history, told delegates that women were grossly under-represented at all levels in the trade union

movement She said: "We need more women shop stewards, more women on union executives, more women in the delegations to the congress, but, perhaps most important of all, more women in the negotiating arena".

She reminded the audience that the congress was the "face" of the trade union movement which would be judged

She urged them to speak in words that

could be widely understood — "not the language of the rule book or even the composite motion but in clear and simple terms".

Miss Maddocks, a senior Nalgo official, whose speech was applauded warmly, also identified causes for optimism by trade union members after the Eighties which, she said, had been a difficult decade.

"We survived and I am confident that in the new mood of the Nineties the opportunities are there for us to prosper. All the polls show that it is our ideals and our values which remain deeply rooted within the public's mind."

She said that the movement did not have a blank cheque. It was having to look closely at its priorities and at how best to spend the money provided by members. She added: "We are having to make hard choices. That a course of action is desirable will not be enough. From now on we must decide our priorities on the basis of what is the best

use of resources." Attacking government policies, she singled out health service reforms and described the prime minister and Kenneth Clarke, the health secretary, as the "twin vultures" ready to devour the National Health Service. She said: "No ministerial videos, no publicity stunts and certainly no amount of junk mail at the taxpayers' expense, will convince the public that the health service is safe in their hands."

On training, she attacked the Conservatives on the ground of madequate resources, a view, she said, that was shared by their friends in business. "Unless this government stops just making speeches about training and starts making sense", she said, "the economic future of this country is in jeopardy, and millions of individuals will find themselves in dead-end jobs in a dead-end Britain."

Miss Maddocks praised the European Community commissioners, whose proposals for a social charter are opposed by the government, for showing more sympathy and understanding for work-ing people than the cabinet in the past 11

"The government rant and rave about restraints on business and measures that will lead to unemployment", she said, "but people see through such free market propaganda. It is not hard to imagine a nineteenth-century Michael Howard (the employment secretary) arguing that banning children from climbing chimneys would cost jobs."

She added that the congress could well be the last before the next general election. Whatever its timing, she was sure that the prospect of returning a sympathetic government would never be far from their thoughts.

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Iceland tackles the 20th century ills that tarnish its clean image

From Tony Samstag. IN OZEO

GREAT Geysir is old and tired. The original, spouting hot spring that gave its name to an entire genus of geothermal phenomena now performs only once in a while, and then only after having 100lb of soap stuffed down its gullet.

During a recent visit the tour lady announced with some satisfaction that Great Geysir had crupted just the previous day, one of only three occasions that year, to an audience of 10,000. The visitors smiled sheepishly, admired its vigorous little brother nearby, took care as instructed to step well clear of the boiling mud pools, and trooped back to the coach, which the driver was revving

International interest in Iceland is like that. Very occasional, but intense and

reights of media suds, and never enough time to take it all in.

Remember the Cod Wars. Then, in 1986, it was the Resoan-Gorbachev summit that led to the rediscovery of hittle leeland by the rest of the world.

Last year, the repeal of an 80-year ban on beer attracted large numbers of foreign journalists to the capital: most of them ended up interviewing each other because they had filled all the pubs and restaurants to the exclusion of the icelanders.

The only other thing many people know about Iceland is that it has very few people and a whole lot of nature. For years improbable numbers of tourists have flocked there, despite the cost of visiting one of the most expensive countries in the world, to view the harsh beauty of its primeval landscape in purity. Those days may now be num-released by a population of 130,000 bered, according to the country's new environment minister.

Julius Solnes occupies a position that was created only last May (after a bruising political row in the Althing, the world's oldest parliament) because, as he has admitted disarmingly: "We Icelanders have unfortunately not progressed as far towards environment consciousness as our Nordic neighbours."

With a quarter of a million people inhabiting Europe's least densely populated country, averaging two loclanders for each third of a square mile, that is perhaps understandable. But profligate misuse of even such apparently boundless wilderness is beginning to exact a predictable price. Long stretches of the volcanic beaches around greater Reykjavik are now covered by cloacal sludge, consequence of untreated effluents

straight into the fjord.

And, despite negligible pollution from power stations and factories which draw on large reserves of clean underground thermal energy and hydropower, an over-reliance on the internal combustion engine has brought episodes of serious smog to the once-pristine air of the

A long-time mystery for visitors has been how a town the size of Reykjavik could conjure up traffic jams, let alone smog. The reasons, like almost everything in Iceland, are complicated but probably rooted in the chronically inflated economy - annual rates topped 130 per cent at one point during the 1980s - and the corresponding compulsion to overspend. A result is that lociand has the second highest rate of car ownership in the world, almost 500 per

United States. With so much untrammelled acrease to spread out in. Revkiavik has surrounded its nny business centre with a vast, residential sprawl, leaving it about as pedestrianfriendly as Los Angeles.

Reluctantly, the authorities are now beginning to think in terms of emission standards for cars, sewage treatment plants, even a 1.8-mile-long outlet to carry the effluents further out into the fjord. And the first collection depot for hazardous wastes has now opened in Reykjavik.

The tourist industry thrives on Iceland's image as a clean country, while contributing to its decline, largely by adding to an apparently, unstoppable process of soil erosion as the visitors tear across the fragile Arctic landscape in four-wheel-drive vehicles. Since man's

thousand and not far behind that of the arrival in the late ninth century, localed has lost 35 per cent of its total cover and 96 per cent of its trees and shrubs. Soil conservation and reforestation schemes have proliferated since the appropriate government agency was created in 1907. but the forces of destruction continue to

> The destruction is not, as is widely believed, caused by volcanic activity. As Halldor Laxness, the Nobel Laureate has written: "Barren hillocks are the only permanent memorials the Icelanders have left behind after a millennium of settlement." Sigurdur Magnusson, a younger and less accomplished Icelandic author, adds: "Just as the goats and sheep of the Arab settlers of North Africa laid waste the former granary of the Roman Empire, so the Icelander's sheep - and to a lesser extent their horses stripped the land bare

spectacular, well-primed with hundred environmental conditions of gem-like Indian forces set fire to town in reprisal for grenade attack

From Christopher Thomas in sopore, kashmir

ture, beatings, arson and theft.

ordering Sikhs to leave, which militant organisations deny.

On Dal Lake, Anchal Lake and

boats are descried because

the Jhelum river a thousand

the tourist industry has collapsed.

A houseboat owner who says he

has not paid the loan on his boat

for more than a year, says the winter will be the bardest since the

turmoil of partition in 1947. "We

have no money for fuel to keep

warm. We cannot afford to buy

clothes. We must try to live on rice

and perhaps a few green veg-ctables." Like many houseboat owners he has moved his boat on

Dal Lake several times. "We have been told that if there is ever a

militant attack from a houseboat,

we will all be burned out. We live

in fear that a militant will one day

fire a single shot from a bouseboat.

If that happens, it will all be over

• SRINAGAR: Kashmiris staged

a general strike yesterday in

sympathy with government em-

ployees who went on strike to force the reinstatement of col-

leagues sacked for alleged involve-

ment with Muslim militants.

Army and paramilitary troops

and restaurants were shut, and transport stayed off roads

throughout the strife-torn Kash-mir valley. Some 200,000 govern-ment employees began their five-day work boycott to force the

reinstatement of their dismissed

colleagues and press for a halt to

alleged persecution of Muslims by

Employees have frequently al-leged persecution by the Indian government in its drive against the Muslim separatists and have ac-

cused security forces of repressing

innocent civilians. (AFP)

• DELHI: The Indian govern-

ment is to investigate charges of

"excesses" by security men fight-

ing Muslim secessionists, including allegations of rape or

molestation. The upper house of

parliament here meanwhile en-

dorsed federal rule over Kashmir,

replacing an administrative or-

dinance issued in July. The lower

house approved the move last

security forces.

Shops and businesses, hotels

enforced a strict curfew.

for us," he said.

cells 4ft by 6ft.

SHOPKEEPERS in the remote justice of the state, says that each Kashmir market town of Sopore are rebuilding their lives after security forces went on a fireraising rampage in reprisal for a hand-grenade attack by militant

lobal market, a maze of poor shops selling everything from shoes to cooking pots, was partly destroyed. A long row of shops m the main street was also burned down. "A two-day curfew was imposed. Security forces set light to our premises and would not let the fire brigade come," one shop owner said. "The fire went on for nine hours. Firemen were allowed to come when we said one of the shops was owned by a Hindu, which was a lie."

The arson attack, on July 26, was carried out by the Central Reserve Police Force, a non-Kashmiri paramilitary body that spearheads the security operation against militant Muslim secessionists in the Kashmir valley.

Sopore's shopkeepers are not alone in feeling the wrath of the security forces. A Kashmiri human rights committee has sent a detailed report to Amnesty International that paints a picture of barsh and indiscriminate repression. The valley, says the report, "is passing through a

The Jammu and Kashmir people's basic rights (protection) com-mittee, headed by the former chief



An Indian soldier confronting women students demanding independence for Kaslouir, in Srinngar, capital of the troubled state

Ben Bella to return from exile

Geneva — Ahmed Ben Bella, Algeria's first president, will re-turn home on September 27 after nine years in exile. Mohammed Lebjaoui, a close associate, said yesterday that he would sail from Barcelona to Algiers.

Mr Ben Bella, aged 73, set up his own political party, the Move-ment for Democracy in Algeria, which was legalised last March. He was toppled in a coup led by the late Colonel Houari Boumediene in 1965 and went into exile in France and Switzerland in 1980 after spending 15 years under house arrest in Algeria. (Reuter)

Hong Kong exodus

Hong Kong - The government here predicted a tidal wave of emigration this year, saying that 62,000 people will leave compared to 42,000 last year. It admitted for the first time that its earlier estimate of 55,000 emigrants after the Tiananmen Square killings had become unrealistic.

Refugee plight

Jerusalem - More than a hundred poor Ethiopian Jews waiting in Addis Ababa for passage to Israel have died in the past month. Mesfin Ambaw of the Ethiopian immigrant association, said: "They are without food, housing and it is winter in Ethi-opia." (Reuter)

Seeking friends

Belgrade - President Iliescu of Romania, ostracised by Western leaders, has arrived in Yugoslavia for his first official foreign visit. He said the visit marked the start of personal contacts with leaders of other states. (Reuter)

Pakistan verdict

Islamahad - The Supreme Court overturned charges of repotism against Ahsan ul-Haq Piracha, former finance minister in the government of Benazir Bhutto, the dismissed prime minister. (AP)

Somalia sacking

Mogadishu - President Siad Barre of Somalia has sacked the government of Muhammad Samatar, the prime minister. Muhammad Madar has been appointed his succes-

Tamil town falls

Colombo - Hundreds of government troops backed by helicopter gunships and naval gunboats wrested control of Mullativu town in the north from rebels of. the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eclam, officials said. (AFP)

Battle looms for Labour leadership in New Zealand

From Richard Long in Wellington

NEW Zealand's governing Labour party was in trouble last night, only eight weeks before the general election, with Geoffrey Palmer, the prime minister, facing a leadership challenge from Mike Moore, the external relations and trade minister.

Mr Palmer is expected to put his leadership to the test at today's meeting of the Labour party caucus. Elected prime minister only a year ago, after David Lange's surprise resignation, he is blamed for a disastrous fall in the party's opinion-poll ratings.

· Labour is consistently up to 30 noints behind the opposition National party in the polls, with up to a third of the electorate undecided. Supporters of Mr Moore, one of the few Labour cabinet ministers from a working-class and trade union background, maintain he could attract back many of the party's disaffected trade-union voters. He received a boost yesterday with reports that Helen Clark, the deputy prime minister, backs his leadership bid.

Mr Moore'a supporters are understood to have taken poll samples to yesterday's cabinet meeting to support their call for a change of leader before the Octo-ber 27 election. Surveys have indicated that Labour could lose more than half its seats in New Zealand's 97-seat, single-chamber parliament, compared with its

present 15-seat majority. Mr Palmer said yesterday he would not resign, making it clear that any move to dislodge himwould require an unprecedented no confidence vote by ministers against a prime minister.

East German police open fire to quell neo-Nazi riot

From REUTER IN LEIPZIG

POLICE in Leipzig fired at the legs of neo-Nazi East and West German soccer fans to quell a riot, injuring two of them, officials said

Peter Heimann, a Leipzig police spokesman, said three officers fired in the air and then towards the legs of the fans on Sunday night after they were attacked with clubs and bottles and their patrol cars were wrecked. "They did it because they feared for their lives," he said.

Two fans were taken to bospital with leg wounds and 35 of the 150 rioters were held on charges of assault, he said. Knives, tear-gas canisters and blank cartridge pistols were confiscated. Five policemen were also hurt and two were treated in hospital.

The right-wing fans rampaged through the centre of Leipzig after an exhibition game between Bayern Munich of the West German first division and Lokomonive Leipzig of the East German first league. Before the game up to 200 "skinheads, faschos (fascists) and youths in bomber jackets from East and West Germany marched through Leipzig shouting such neo-Nazi slogans as "sieg heil" and "Heil Hiller", Herr Heimann

The shooting marked the first time police in East or West Germany had used firearms to break up disturbances by soccer fans. They had previously used water cannon and truncheons as a last resort. Soccer hooliganism has been frequent in East Germany which is to merge with West Germany next month - since the fall of its communist regime last

In West Germany police re-ported that an estimated 40 fans of fire, and that China and the Soviet

the first-division side Cologne rampaged through the club offices and fan club after watching their team draw 2-2 with Borussia Münchengladbach on television on Saturday.

Furniture was smashed, club souvenirs stolen and windows broken during the violence hy fans protesting against the policies of Dietmar Artzinger-Bolten, the club president. Police were called in to protect the premises and officials estimated the damage at about 30,000 marks (£10,000). • EAST BERLIN: East German

police officers will be investigated for links to the former communist state's Stasi secret police before being hired by West Berlin's force after unification, a senior Western official said yesterday.

Emil Paetzold, the interior min-

ister, said all East German police would need to pass a test for Stasi links before joining the force after the two Germanies merge on October 3. "We will demand a comprehensive statement of his previous path in life, an open acknowledgement of whatever con-

tacts he had with the Stasi, and then we'll have to weigh the information," be told the East German *Der Morgen* newspaper. The newspaper said East Ber-lin's city police force had served as a political tool of the communist leadership overthrown by a demo-

cratic revolution in 1989. It quoted a report hy a committee overseeing the dissolution of the Stasi which said the secret police had used the regular police "for its own interests like a kind of service enterprise".

Kaifu issues challenge to Moscow on ownership

From REUTER

of islands

TOSHIKI Kaifu, the Japanese prime minister, speaking on the eve of a visit on Tuesday by Eduard Shevardnadze, the Soviet foreign minister, said Moscow must hand back four occupied islands before it can hope for cooperation from Japan.

Mr Kaifu was addressing a Tokyo protest rally of Liberal Democratic party supporters demanding the return of the "northern islands", captured in the closing days of the second world war. Since 1982, the ruling Liberal Democratic party has observed September 3 to protest against the "illegal Soviet occupation" of the islands, part of the Kurile chain north of Hokkaido.

Referring to the collapse of communist rule in Eastern Europe, Mr Kaifu said: "If the new (Soviet) thinking which put an end to East-West confrontation ... is also to prevail in Asia and the Pacific region, the first thing to do is to establish relations of true friendship and true co-operation between Japan and the Soviet Union.

He appealed for discussions about the islands, the main stumhling block to a peace treaty between the two countries to end the second world war formally. He said he could not at present sbare President Gorbachev's "optimistic view" of Soviet-Japanese relations, but Japan was ready to play its part in the drive for better relations.

Mr Shevardnadze arrives late today for a three-day stay to lay the groundwork for Mr Gorbachev's planned visit to Japan next spring. He will be the first Soviet rader to visit Tokyo. While incre he is due to bold a series of talks with Taro Nakayama, the Japanese foreign minister, and to meet Mr Kaifu and Emperor Akihito. • MOSCOW: Oleg Kalugin, a

former KGB general, who was stripped of his rank and medals by President Gorbachev for campaigning against the security service, has been elected to the Supreme Soviet, according to provisional official results yesterday. Mr Kalugin's victory frees him from legal proceedings for revealing state secrets, started by the KGB. Deputies enjoy immu-

nity from prosecution. Mr Kalugin, aged 55, defeated a conservative opponent in Sunday's by-election in the south Russian Krasnodar region, a stronghold of marxist orthodoxy.

Mr Kalugin resigned from the KGB early this year after a dispute with his superiors. He incensed his former employers by denouncing the KGB as stalinist, and revealing secrets about its operations against the United States. but became the hero of radical

Cambodia arms supplies cut off

CHINA and the Soviet Union have undertaken to stop arming Cambodia's warring factions and have said they will welcome the exiled Prince Norodom Sihanouk as head of a post-civil war interim administration, the People's Daily reported yesterday.

Quoting a Chinese statement after Eduard Shevardnadze, the Soviet foreign minister, and Qian Qichen, his Chinese counterpart, met in the northeastern Chinese city of Harbin at the weekend, it said: "Both sides maintained that all Cambodian factions should, within the scope of a comprehensive political solution to the

Union will cease providing military aid to all Cambodian factions. Both sides called on other countries concerned to adopt a similar position." The newspaper added that both sides would welcome Prince Siha-

nouk as head of an interim administration. BANGKOK: Cambodian guerrillas have moved at least 60,000 refugees from camps in Thailand back into Cambodia and some have died from disease as a result,

Western aid officials said yes-Most of the refugees were from camps run by the Khmer Rouge, a senior aid official said. The others

were from a camp controlled by

the forces of Prince Sihanouk. (AP)

 PEKING: Mongolia's first pop-ularly elected legislature convened for the first time yesterday and reelected Punsalmaagiin Ocbirbat as president, a source in Ulan Bator said (AP reports).

The session was lively and animated, the source said. "Everyone really felt free to get up and speak their piece, and did so," he said in a telephone interview.

Mr Ochirbat was nominated by the bead of the communist party. called the Mongolian People's Revolutionary Party. His nomination was seconded by the Social Democratic Party, an opposition party, the source said. (AP)

Storm brews over television casting of white as Aboriginal

From ROBERT COCKBURN

-IN SYDNEY

GRUNDY Entertainment, the makers of Neighbours and other Australian television soap operas, are stirring up a racial storm with their latest series.

The company, which made celebrities of Kybe Minogue and Jason Donovan, has found a new bombshell, a blond Aussie beach icon called Cameron Daddo. to play Boney, an Aboriginal detective complete with mystical powers.

Equity, the actors' union, and Aboriginal groups are furious at the casting of a white in the role of television's traditional black detective. Yesterday the union threatened protests when the show is given its premiere here next week on the

Seven Network Equity is organising a new campaign to break the predominantly white image portrayed by Australia's commercial stations.

Parallels are being drawn with the controversy over the musical Miss Saigon, in which Jonathan Pryce, the Welsh actor, was barred from repeating his London success in the leading role of a Eurasian pimp on Broadway. But the snub to Aboriginal actors in casting Boney as a white goes much deeper in a country still deeply divided racially.

Boney, a two-hour pilot film, is a remake of a 1960s television show of the same name. The original fictional Boney

pretence of make-up has gone. The new Boney is a part-Aboriginal descendant, one thirty-second black, according to Grundy's scriptwriters who could thus provide him with a white skin while allowing him to inherit all the Aboriginal powers vital to the story.

The formula will now be marketed world-wide. Liz Harvey, Grundy's spokesman, said last week that the main television companies had been approached in Britain, where Neighbours does so well.

with the white Australia policy at its height, James Lawrence, a blacked-up activities to a studio audience. His New Zealander, got the job. Now even the detractors say he is even more wooden than Jason Donovan. Liz Harvey insists, however, that "be's absolutely gorgeous on screen". But she admits that Grundy did not audition Aboriginal actors. "We consider Cameron a fine young

actor who will bring the needs and aspirations of our Aboriginal people to our screens," Miss Harvey said. "A lot of Aboriginals today are white. Cameron portrays all the Aboriginal skills of his ancestors. He's got the sixth sense."

• Hollywood parallel: A Hollywood watchdog group for American Indians has questioned Robert Redford's decision to cast Lou Diamond Phillips in the leading role of a Navajo policeman in Redford's

new film. Phillips has been selected to play Jim Chee in a film based on Tony Hillerman's novel, The Dark Wind. Redford plans soon to begin filming on the Navajo and Hopi reservations.

Ray Louis, a high school drama teacher in Crystal, New Mexico, said: "They've been promising for years to cast Navajos in leading roles. But they always end up with an Italian or a foreign-born." Bonnie Paradise, director of the American Indian Registry for the Performing Arts watchdog group in Hollywood, said she would shortly meet both Redford and Phillips. Sbe said Phillips claimed to be part American Indian, but had not provided any documentation. (AP)

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Iraq factor comes to the rescue of beleaguered Republicans

WHEN he returned to the Oval Office after his much-interrupted golfing holiday yes-terday, President Bush took heart from one piece of good news: according to the polls, events in the Gulf have all but demolished the political liabilities that only a month ago loomed over his presidency and threatened to propel Democrats into Republican seats in the November midterm elections.

Until President Saddam Hussein started dominating ing on opening a season of president's expected climb-crais are competing with political bloodshed this week, down on raising taxes as a president of the Crair, and even Demothe Democrats had been bankwhich sees the return of Congress and the traditional start of the campaigns for all House seats, a third of the Senate and 36 governor's chairs. Battered by the scandal

From Charles Bremner over the Savings and Loans in Washington over the Savings and Loans collapse, Mr Bush had been suffering the first big slump in his popularity.

A series of potentially damaging episodes lay in wait this month, such as the appearance before a congressional committee of his son Neil, to face questions on his role in the collapse of a Denver bank. The Democrats punches with the Senate hearings on the appointment of Court. And there was much capital to be made from the necessary evil for the new

On top of that, the Demo-

beleaguered Republicans, all those liabilities have paled in the shadow of America's biggest military foreign venture since Vietnam. The country believes overwhelmingly that Republicans are better equipped to handle such a Denver bank. The Democrats crisis, according to a poll by were also hoping to land a few The New York Times at the weekend. For the time being, Mr Bush, the man derided by David Souter, Mr Bush's opponents in 1988 as a wimp, nominee to the Supreme can do little wrong. He enjoys the support of 80 per cent of the country with his handling staggering economy and the of the Gulf, and even Demo-

A senior adviser to the president said this week: "This crisis has cut off the crats were husy focusing the potential negatives. It elimi-

hope to cut to the minimum a deadline of 10 September to the number of seats they lose in the House and Senate and 1992 to win back the Senate and break the long-standing Democratic control of the House of Representatives.

Even on the economy, the Gulf appears to be working to the president's advantage by providing a villain for the hard times that many now see setting in. The Wall Street lournal found that the number expecting a recession leapt 32 points after the invasion. Already the pundits have baptised the down-turn, long in the making, the "Saddam recession". Despite the cost of the military effort, the heat from the Gulf will probably help take the political sting out electorate's thoughts on abornates the possibility for help take the political sting out tion, education and the other Republicans having a bad of the battle to be fought over

reach an accord with the administration. Their negotiators are due to work all weekend at Andrews Airforce Base outside Washington.

The Democrats are determined to withhold agreement on anything that will raise taxes without an assurance that the president and Repub-If no plan is agreed by October 15, thousands of civil servants will be laid off and billions of dollars of spending will be The politicians are finding

there is little mileage to be president's decision to commit such a huge expeditionary force to Saudi Arabia. Only a handful of Democratic

congressmen have voiced cau-

seems, have finally found a cause that they can use to put to rest the notion that they lack the fortitude to fight for American interests abroad, an image which has clung to

them since Vietnam.

Candidates who assumed the new world order would let them lambast the Republicans on the economy are suddenly finding their martial credentials under scrutiny. Mario Cuomo, governor of New York, still the favourite of many for the Democratic sidential nomination in 1992, is being forced to explain why he opted to defer his military service as a student during the Korean war.

Similar sensitivities explain

tion, and none has dissented even less visible role than social issues on which they election this November." Barhold the political edge.

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Now, to the delight of Middle East, the Republicans Congressional leaders have set the right. The Democrats, it the military during the Victnam war has been resurrected in the joke material of the talk

But, while the patriotic fever still rages in America. Mr Bush and the Republicans are aware of the pitialis that could obliterate their political windfall from the Gulf. If the crisis drags on for weeks with no action, and the television reports hammer home the plight of the hostages and the boredom of the troops, the Democrats will seize on the costs of the operation and press the president on his

"Who's going to pay for it all?" asked Congressman William Dannemeyer, a California Republican. Les Aspin, why Dan Quayle, the vice- the respected chairman of the president, has been playing an House armed services com-

administration to state its objectives in hearings next week. "The American public does not object to deployments abraod. They do object when people are getting killed with no objective in sight," be

The latest polls this weekend show that support for the use of force is not nearly as strong as suggested. By a fourto-one majority, Americans want to await the results of sanctions and diplomacy.
According to a Wall Street Journal poll, 43 per cent favour eventual military action if Iraq refuses to withdraw from Kuwait, compared with 42 who oppose it. The experts say the public would stand firmly with the president in the initial phase of any war, but support would crode rapidly if America were to

SANCTIONS

Yemen gives Hurd a reluctant promise to apply UN trade curbs

then stopped the unloading.
Mr Hurd said that if Yemen

showed it was suffering financial

loss as a result of applying

sanctions, the international

community would have to con-

sider aid. Mr al-Atias said that

Sanaa had submitted details of its

to retain good relations with

Britain and accepted the presence

of Douglas Gordon, the British consul-general in Aden, at talks

between Mr Hurd and Abdul

Karim al-Iryani, the foreign min-

ister. Mr Gordon was ordered to

leave the country two weeks ago,

out Sanaa relented after protests

from London. He is to depart on

October 10, when his normal

period of service ends.

Mr al-Attas said Mr Gordon

had been ordered to leave because

of activities which were "not

normal", but did not say what these were. British officials believe

the real reason for his expulsion

was that Yemen was angered by

Invasion hits the world's poor

From PHILIP JACOBSON IN PARIS

the increase in oil prices since the

By then, the UN secretary-general had already briefed Ro-land Dumas, the French foreign

minister, about the failure of his

peace initiative. As Señor Pérez de

Cuellar conceded during an inter-

view on French television, he had

encountered "virtually no flexibil-

ity" on the part of Tariq Aziz,

Iraq's foreign minister, during two

from London after what was

reportedly a bruising session with

Margaret Thatcher, there was

scant prospect of a much warmer

reception for his views in the

French policy now shows signs

Elysée Palace.

As for King Husain, arriving

days of discussion in Jordan.

invasion of Kuwait.

Yemeni officials appeared keen

losses to the UN.

its territories.

YEMEN yesterday assured Britain that it would apply United Nations trade sanctions against Iraq. but made it clear that it was

Douglas Hurd, the foreign secretary, who made a five-hour visit to Sanaa, appeared partly sat-isfied. "So far so good," he said.

His talks suggested that Yemen was not as weak a link in the international chain surrounding Iraq as had been feared. But it confirmed an impression that Yemen was an unwilling partner, applying sanctions because of international pressure rather than conviction. Talks between Mr Hurd and President Saleh were said to have been "extremely lively but not angry", reflecting the differences.

Mr Saleh acknowledged that there were differences but described them as "minor". However, he refused to apply sanctions on food on the ground that it was exempted by a humanitarian clause in Security Council Resolution 661. Britain does not accept this interpretation of the resolution, but officials said it was of little consequence because Yemen was not exporting food to Iraq.

Intelligence reports bore out adamant denials by Mr Saleh and by Haidar Abu Bakr al-Attas, the prime minister, of sanctions breaking. They also refuted claims bridge to Baghdad, or had stored defence secretary, who implied during the Iran-Iraq war.

AS DELEGATES representing

Iraq and pre-invasion Kuwait

ignored each other yesterday at the

start of an international con-

ference here. Javier Pérez de

Cuéllar, the United Nations sec-

retary-general, and King Husain

of Jordan arrived in Paris with

little fanfare and less hope of a

Their arrival coincided with a

warning from President Mitter-rand, who later met both visitors,

that France's economic prospects

could be hit hard by the Gulf

confrontation, necessitating

"adapation without delay".

Ironically, M Mitterrand and
Señor Pérez de Cuéllar had gath-

ered for the opening of the latest

UN forum on the world's least

Guif breakthraugh.

Iraqi or Kuwaiti aircraft flown to that Yemen was running an air

bridge.

The sources added that the Several Iraqi tankers are docked in Aden, but have not unloaded their oil. One vessel, the Ain Yemeni government seemed rel-uctant to disclose to its own public Zaiah, had started unloading bethe concessions it had made to fore the security council passed a international opinion, probably resolution authorising the use of because of public sympathy for force to prevent evasion of sanctions. The Yemeni government

Asked whether he accepted or rejected Baghdad's claim that Kuwait was part of Iraq, Mr al-Attas replied that Yemen was opposed to the use of force. He refused to be more specific.

 AMMAN: Jordan is continuing to receive daily oil supplies from Iraq despite King Husain's assurance that Jordan will comply with United Nations trade sanctions against Iraq, Western diplomats and Jordanian sources said yes-terday (Richard Owen writes).

But sources said the supplies were part of a loophole of which the United Nations was aware. This is a hit of a grey area," one Western economics expert said.

Yesterday I watched Iraqi-registered oil tankers entering Jordan from Iraq by the overland border at a rate of two to three a minute. They returned to Iraq empty by the same route, through the Ruweished border post. Diplomats said Jordan had

notified the United Nations that it was entitled to continue receiving Iraqi oil as part of Iraq's repay-

chel Rocard, the French prime

minister, said: "Europe would be

deceiving itself greatly if it be-

lieved it could live on the un-

earned income of history, drawing

the dividends of a peace that the US has maintained." It remains to

be seen whether this represents a

calculated retreat from views pre-

viously expressed in government

circles which argued for a more

restricted approach to Europe's

According to press reports here,

there was disagreement between

M Dumas and some of the eight

other foreign ministers represent-ing Western European Union

members at their meeting in Paris

a few days ago. The Dutch were

said to have been insistent on

greater co-ordination of military

and diplomatic operations.

response in the Gulf.



Mrs Thatcher with the Crown Prince of Kuwait, Sheikh Sand al-Sabah, at 10 Downing Street yesterday.

EAST-WEST DETENTE

Big power links unharmed

result of the Gulf confrontation.In Moscow's first formal response to the announcement that President Gorbachev and President Bush would meet next Sunday in Helsinki, Gennadi Gerasimov, the foreign ministry spokesman, said the short working meeting was the sort the two leaders had agreed to

hold periodically, during their talks at Camp David in June. At pains to emphasise that the

EDWARD Teller, known as "the

father of the hydrogen bomh" and a principal architect of America's

strategic defence initiative, yes-terday said he did not favour

turning nuclear weapons against

Mr Teller, in Jerusalem as the

guest of Israel's science ministry, has traditionally been a hardliner. The physicist, aged 82, was in-volved in research in the 1940s

that led to development of the

atomic bomh and later, as director of the University of California's

Livermore radiation laboratory,

worked to develop the first

In recent years, he helped

Ronald Reagan during his presi-

dency develop the strategic de-fence initiative, aimed at

combatting the nuclear threat in

successful hydrogen bomb.

President Saddam of Iraq.

NUCLEAR OPTION

From Mary Dejevsky in moscow THE Soviet foreign ministry de- meeting was not a "summit" in sented the personal opinion of the Gorbachev would take only a small team to Helsinki and that

> five people around the table." The foreign ministry spokesman said that a commentary in the Communist party paper Pravda on Sunday which claimed that superpower detente would be destroyed if the United States took

military action against Iraq repre-

olence leads to violence, some-

times later, sometimes sooner."
He said be did not appreciate

Mr Hussein's takeover of Kuwait

a month ago, "Saddam Hussein

committed many crimes before he

invaded Kuwait" Mr Teller said,

"There are many reasons why he

must not stay in power." But he added: "A way must be found to get rid of him without bloodshed. There are infinitely many meth-

ods which are not war and not

Hungary and later emigrated to America, said he persued science

in America because he felt that

power will be put to use in a

thoughtful way, and only when necessary". He said he thought the

same attitude prevailed in Israel.

Israel is believed to be the only

nation in the Middle East with a

Mr Teller, who was born in

the agenda would not be fixed in

advance. "There may be four or

nied yesterday that superpower the strict sense of the word, Mr commentator. He also denied relations were under strain as a Gerasimov said that President earlier suggestions by the Warsaw Pact commander in chief, General Vladimir Lobov, that the US military presence in Saudi Arabia threatened to alter the balance of power in the Gulf region and could threaten the Conventional Forces in Europe talks in Vienna.

He said the Americans had gone to the Gulf "not on their own initiative" but because they were "provoked". On a possible link between agreement in Vienna and the American forces in the Gulf, Mr Gerasimov said: "I cannot see a connection. The Vienna talks are about forces in Europe and I see

Mr Gerasimov's remarks on the US presence in Saudi Arabia differed sharply in tone from the implicit condemnation he had voiced a week before, on his return from holiday.

On Friday, President Gorbachev had carefully avoided suggesting any Soviet misgivings about the US build-up, insisting that its military presence in the region was only temporary and precipitated by Iraq's aggression against Kuwait.

On Soviet policy towards Iraq, Mr Gerasimov suggested that Soviet hopes of a rapid political solution had faded, given the failure of the UN secretary-general's talks with the Iraqi foreign

He repeatedly emphasised, however, the sensitivity of the current Soviet position. Although the evacuation of women and children is complete, nearly 7,000 specialists remain there.

Mr Gerasimov said that so far Moscow had not made any requests to Iraq about withdrawing the specialists. It appears that the Soviet Union has deliberately not broached the question of whether they would be free to go, should Moscow decide to break their

LABOUR

Company 'should be closed'

HOME AFFAIRS CORRESPONDENT

LABOUR yesterday called for an Iraqi-owned company in London to be closed immediately as the Pentagon accused the firm of surreptitiously acquiring nuclear technology for Baghdad.

The Pentagon says the Technology and Development Group of Chiswick, West London, is part of an extensive network of Iraqicontrolled front companies dedicated to acquiring the technical expertise and equipment to launch a nuclear programme. The company has repeatedly denied that it is involved in military procurement for Baghadad.

Western intelligence agencies believe President Saddam Hussein intends to have nuclear weapons by the mid-1990s.

in a statement broadcast on BBC Television's Panorama programme last night, the US Department of Defence says the company is effectively controlled by the Baghdad-based Nassr State Establishment for Mechanical Industries, the power-house behind lraq's defence industries. Other Nassr front companies have links with Iraq's chemical weapons

programme, the department says. Labour, which has been pressing ministers since May to investigate the company, last night called on Peter Lilley, the trade and industry secretary, to shut down the firm for alleged breach of the United Nations arms embargo on

lrag. Speaking on Panorama, Gordon Brown, shadow trade and industry secretary, said: "It is now clear that the Technology and Development Group is no ordinary company . . . Not only does it own companies within the UK bot it is clearly operating as a procurement executive for Iraq to huy weapons worldwide".

of siding with President Bush and developed countries, most of which are already suffering from Mrs Thatcher. Last weekend Mi-

RECALL OF PARLIAMENT

Green and clean for the debate

By JOHN WINDER

REFURBISHED green cushions for MPs' seats were restored to their places yesterday so that the full complement of members expected for Thursday's debate on the Gulf may sit as accustomed. The cushions were being cleaned and restitched.

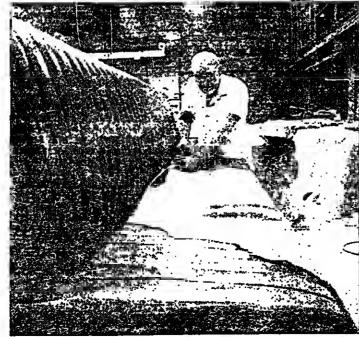
Westminster staff is working hard to restore the houses, which are undergoing maintenance work during recess, to normal. Furniture is being moved back into place as decorators finish work or reach an appropriate point for a two-day pause, while both houses go back into action.

The government whip's office is being relocated, as work there cannot be easily interrupted and the facilities restored to normal

working conditions.
Catering staff will return 10 provide food and drink. However, members will have to share facilities with reporters, whose cafe-teria and bar will both be out of action after power was cut in the course of repair work. It cannot be restored until next month, when the Commons returns to clear up the routine business of the session.

The Commons catering department said yesterday it was hoped to offer an almost-full service, but one or two catering points would not operate.

In the press gallery, where more than 200 journalists operate, several organisations have had normal access cut off because of work on ventilation and renovation on communications systems. The



Roger Holman works on refurbishing the Commons benches will continue to work from temporary premises behind the press gallery, as it has done for several

This year, the Commons maintenance work is more obvious than in the past. Part of the structure over the Commons chamber is being re-roofed, making corners of Westminster look more like a builder's yard.

Preliminary work is taking place on the conversion of the Speaker's secretary's flat into space for MPs.

and large-scale heating and elec-

trical work is underway. Staff is anxious that, having stopped contractors in the middle of their task, it may take a day or more for work to start up agaio. It needs to be complete by October 15 when the Commons return from recess.

space.
When asked yesterday if be agreed with Israeli military recommendations that President

Saddam be hit in a tactical nuclear strike, Mr Teller said: "No, vi-

nuclear capability. In 1981, Israeli jets bombed a nuclear facility outside Baghdad fearing President

H-bomb 'father' rules

out atomic weapons

From A Correspondent in Jerusalem

Saddam was developing nuclear

MIDDLE EAST TRADE

Land-Rover launch goes ahead in Gulf

By KEVIN EASON

LAND-ROVER, the famous British maker of four-wheel drive vehicles, is to press ahead with the launch of its new model in the Middle East next week despite the conflict in the Gulf.

Company executives considered calling off their move into what could be a key export market, worth £40 million this year, after the invasion of Kuwait by Iraqi forces. One of the nations expressing

most interest in the company's new Discovery four-wheel-drive vehicle was Kuwait, and Iraq had also been thought to be a possible Jucrative market. Both nations have now been

struck from the launch pro-

Solihull company still expect to sell 2,000 vehicles in Middle Eastern states this year. Chris Woodwark, Land-Rover's commercial director, said that he was reassured by customer nations

that the launch would not be affected by the Gulf situation. He said: "We were uncertain as to what to do but as most of our customers are some distance from Kuwait and Iraq, we decided to go ahead as planned into what will

become a market to consolidate our spread of export interests throughout the world."

Land-Rover is now one of Britain's most successful exporters, sending more than 75 per cent

of production abroad. In the first

gramme but executives from the six months this year, the company raised worldwide sales from 28,127 last year to more than 33.240.

The company is now on course to be one of the few car-makers in Britain which will increase both production and sales this year, with assembly lines expected to reach a record 70,000 vehicles. comprising the traditional fourwheel-drive Land-Rover, which has become a familiar vehicle in the Third World, and the new

Discovery. The company last week settled its largest order from the Ministry of Defence, worth £22 million for 1,690 diesel-powered Land-

Rovers.

nearest Japanese rival by two to one in the UK while Range Rover sales are up 11 per cent here, 20 per cent in France, 49 per cent in Spain and 41 per cent in the US.

The company's success is in stark contrast to the rest of the British motor industry, struggling with a falling market, suffering from high interest rates and a lack of confidence among businessmen.

Even the normally buoyant August, when 20 per cent of all annual new car sales are made. have not been great enough to lift the gloom over the industry. Figures due to be announced tomorrow are expected to show a fall of sales last month of more than 11 per cent.

Road convoy mooted to ferry Britons from Kuwait

By MICHAEL KNIPE DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

transport an estimated thousand, mostly British, women and children from Kuwait to Baghdad is under active consideration in London and the Gulf. Whitehall sources disclosed yesterday.

Conditions in Kuwait were seriously deteriorating, reports from the occupied city
said. There was fighting every
night between Kuwaiti resistance forces and Iraqi troops.
The plight of an estimated
7,000 Western and Japanese
nationals many of whom

nationals, many of whom were in hiding, was becoming increasingly precarious. Fragi troops were making house-to-house searches to locate foreigners.
While the Iraqi occupation

force had threatened to shoot any Kuwaitis giving refuge to Westerners, the Kuwaiti resistance was issuing death threats to anyone who handed over foreigners to the Iraqis.

Whitehall sources said, the need to evacuate people was becoming more urgent. The prospect of organising an air-lift from Kuwait was virtually non-existent and all the 2,500 Britons, including the men, in the city would be able to obtain exit permits only in

Putting together a motor convoy to accommodate such a large number of passengers would present logistical problems at the best of times. The last British convoy from Kuwait to Baghdad, which brought out 112 diplomatic dependents and non-essential staff two weeks ago, took 26 hours to complete the journey. The distance is more than 500 miles along a road likely to be blocked by control points and busy with military and official

A Foreign Office spokes-man advised British nationals in Kuwait for the moment to keep their heads down. He number would probably entail

A HUGE road convoy to evacuating them arrange ments would be made.

William Waldegrave, a Foreign Office minister, is to broadcast a message to British nationals on the BBC's World Service. He will make it clear that they have not been forgotten, that strenuous efforts are being made to arrange their evacuation, and will also advise them that they should sit tight for the moment.
The Whitehall sources ad-

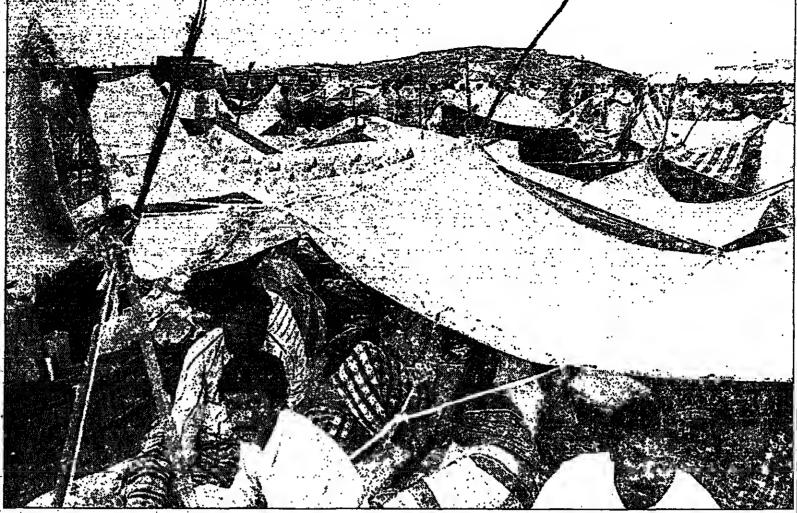
mitted that there was a possibility that those joining the convoy might be rounded up by the Iraqis in Baghdad but said the situation was so full of imponderables that escape by convoy was increasingly becoming the only realis-

Individuals would have to make their own decisions whether to risk joining the convoy or to remain in hiding in Kuwait, the sources said. But the impression gained from those who had been brought out of Iraq at the weekend was that most of those still in Kuwait would be prepared to risk joining such a convoy if it could be arranged

as envisaged. Harold Walker, the British ambassador in Baghdad, and his diplomatic staff were discussing the possibility of a road convoy with the Iraqi Ministry of Foreign Affairs, with the Americans and with the other European Community diplomatic missions. Britain was taking the lead in exploring such an operation because the largest number of foreign nationals in Kuwait were British

Officials are hoping to organise the convoy operation as soon as possible. But Iraq acquiesence would be needed. The present estimate of the numbers who would wish to be evacuated is about a thousand.

To transport such a large emphasised that as soon as bringing in coaches from conference here, there was any possibility of Baghdad so it is likely to take. Dr Bsuvn and his wife



Tent city: destitute refugees camped under the sweltering sun in Jordan wait desperately for food, water and attention from consular officials

at least some days before Bimana, who are of Nepalese

At the weekend seven British men, who had been camping out in the grounds of the ritish embassy compound in Baghdad were seized wheo they tried to get exit visas for their families. Although disturbed by the incident, the Foreign Office is regarding it as an isolated incident.

Yesterday the Foreign Office was still trying to discover whether the apparent ban on foreign flights to evacuate foreign nationals was official Iraqi policy or simply the result of chaotic bureaucratic procedures in Baghdad.

 AMMAN: A British doctor and his wife told yesterday how they escaped from Kuwait to Jordan in a cattle lorry by hiding among a group of Nepalese and concealing their

we had to hide our passports, and among a group of Nepastand ont as Britons," Bsuvn Joshi told a news

origin but have British passports, said they fled from Kuwait and Iraq in a cattle lorry crammed with 84 Nepalese refugees on August 29.
"At the Iraqi border with Jordan we had to get out of the truck and hand in our pass-

"We did not give ours and thank God the Iraqis did not do a head count," Dr Bsuvn, an orthopaedic surgeon who worked in Kuwait for 12

ports for exit visas.

"We spent two days in the cattle truck. We did not sleep. My wife was terrified and crying all the time," he added.

The couple decided that it was time to leave Kuwait after Iraqi soldiers stopped and detained Dr Bsuvn on the street for three hours because he had a British passport. "They were stopping everyone in the streets and checking their passports. The soldier, when he saw my identity card. started saying 'British

Dr Bsuvn said an Iraqi officer let him go, apparently because he looked more Nepa-lese than British. (Reuter)

Japanese business cool on help for Gulf forces

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From JOE JOSEPH IN TOKYO

the grand gesture, but eveo multinational forces in the some of its more patient allies Gulf hy sending out jeeps, cararrying and dithering over the Gulf crisis.

Gulf hy sending out jeeps, carcarrying ships, refrigerators and power generators.

But the hig Japanese trading

Just when the world's houses that the government newest superpower was offered a chance to roar on the world stage, it has barely managed a schoolgirl's soweak.

Details of how much it task. They say they are up to eventually will contribute are the job hut they are worried still vague, the timing even more vague. Last night government officials said they were trying to put together an aid package for the front-line government assure us that Gulf states but that nothing such a thing won't happen?" would be ready before the end of this month.

The government yesterday also asked private industry to

NOBODY looks to Japan for lend a hand in supporting the \$60 million to finance a 1992

wants to help transport supplies to the US and other forces in the Guif are cool about the idea of using their distribution networks for the that co-operating with the government could bring harm to their 55 employees being beld hostage by Iraq. "Can the ooe trading house official asked last night.
Yesterday Toshiki Kaifu.

Japan's prime minister, said that he was pinning his hopes on the United Nations being Gulf operation, even though the oil-dependent country has more to lose than some of its dig deeper into its pockers. less energy-dependent allies. By contrast, the Gulf bill for American taxpayers is expected to top \$1 billion a month, even without ac out-

break of open hostilities. So far Japan has firmly committed only \$10 million in emergency aid for Jordan. Some see that as parsimonious from the world's secood richest country, especially when two Japanese yachting syndicates can raise more than challenge for the America's Cup. Unlike its allies, Japan gave in 10 Iraq's request to close its embassy in Kuwait.

Tokyo is also having trouble rounding up the 100 doctors it promised to seed to the Gulf. Japan says its constitution prevents it from dispatching military doctors, and the civilian ones are worried about pay, injury and a long stay. Japanese airlines are balking at flying even noo-military supplies to dangerous areas. Nicholas Brady, the US

here on Friday to urge Japan to give greater support for the Gulf effort. Douglas Hurd, the foreign secretary, follows him early next week. Japan says it is giving as much as it can in cash, and it cannot give anything in military men or able to resolve the conflict, minesweepers because its His officials repeated that peace constitution ties its Japan had only \$1 billion hands. Some critics think the (£529 million) to contribute to government is using the the cost of the international constitution to divert attention from the basic issue of whether Tokyo could afford to

> dwells on whether the coosutution allows Tokyo 10 send members of its Self-Defence Forces ahroad, even under the UN flag. Japanese public opinion is against sending troops to the Gulf. So are most of Japan's editorial writers. But some powerful politicians, together with the leaders of the Self-Defence Forces, say the time has come for Japan to break with the past.

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Inside Japan the debate

BLOCKADE

Supplies short as boycott bites

From Nicholas Beeston IN RIYADH

IRAQ is beginning to run out of basic food supplies, only weeks after the United Nations imposed an economic blockade, according to Western diplomats in Saudi

The speed with which the boycott is taking effect is very "We thought that Iraq had up to six months of supplies when the blockade was imposed, but already shortages are beginning to hit the

Western embassies in Iraq say there is no rice in any shops, even though the country was supposed to have enough stockpiled for two to three months. Witnesses report long queues outside bakeries, which have been forced to bake smaller loaves and enforce rationing. Shops have also ruo out of sugar and

"Fruit and vegetables are in ahuadant supply, thanks to an unusually good harvest this summer." said one diplomat ' said one diplomat. There is also a great deal of chicken on the market, but this is likely to disappear soon. It seems all of Iraq's chicken feed is imported, so the poul-try farms have been forced to slaughter their animals."

It is estimated that Iraq has enough supplies to last four to six months before its population of 18 million people starts to go hungry.

Military sources were confident yesterday that the sea and land blockades would successfully prevent any large quantities of new supplies from reaching the country. In addition, Britain has suggested enforcing an air

blockade. It is possible that countries such as Libya, Algeria. Yemen, Jordan, and possibly India, might try to uelp Iraq, but none has the ability to launch a successful

airlift.

"When you consider the enormous resupply erion required to break the Berlin blockade which, after all, was just one city, the logistics needed to supply a country the size of Iraq with food would be an impossible undertaking," said one diplomat. Any sanctions-breaking air

craft would require overflight permission from Iran, Turkey, Syria, Egypt or Saudi Arahia before reaching Iraqi air space. All the countries have said they will honour the UN boycott and have shown no sign of hreaking their word.

Ooe Western military source said: "If a plane did try to hreak the blockade we could send up warplanes to intercept it and instruct it to land." If the aircraft ignored the warnings, the warplanes could fire tracer rounds to frighteo the pilot. The interception of aircraft would probably be enough to halt or slow the flow of supplies, he said.

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TEHRAN THAW

Iran signals readiness for ties with Britain

From Michael THEODOULOU LN NICOSIA

AS IRAN'S pragmatists seek to capitalise on the shifting alliances in the Middle East, a senior official yesterday called for "fruitful and beneficial" ties with Britain but said they should be based on "noninterference in each other's internal affairs".

Iran has also announced it is stepping up its efforts to helptens of thousands of foreigners fice from Kuwait.

Mahmoud Vaczi, Iran'a deputy foreign minister, told the Tehran Times: The Islamic republic can remain committed to its principles and at the same time have invasion of Kuwait". important regional and inter-

By HARVEY ELLIOTT

EVENTS in the Gulf could

guarantee the future of the

European Fighter Aircraft,

which many people believed might be axed for political

Opposition to the building

of the £21 billion aircraft, a

joint project by Britain, Spain, Italy and Germaoy, was increasing in the wake of improved East-West relations,

with rumours that West Ger-

The rumours were denied

HIGH-TECH WEAPONS

many would withdraw.

national co-operation with had to solve three problems: Mr Vaezi, who is in charge

of European and American affairs at the foreign ministry, was responding to a statement by William Waldegrave, the British foreign minister, at the London was considering renewing ties with Tehran and port for the international campaign to drive Iraq out of

Mr Waldegrave said on Saturday that Syria and Iran were "firmly on the same side of a very important fence", with Britain because both were standing by inter-national law over the Iraqi

Conflict may reprieve Europe plane

dence such a withdrawal was

likely. In recent weeks their

confidence has been increased

by the heightened interest

shown in the highly agile

fighter by countries in the

Saudi Arabia is now thought

to be ready to support the project. Ivan Yates, managing

director of the project, said yesterday that British Aero-space, which has sold Tor-

yesterday by project officials, mal talks with the Saudis pected to be taken until 1993.

Middle East.

the British hostages in Lebanon, the late Ayatollah Khomeini's death sentence against Salman Rushdie, author of The Satanic Verses, and the case of Roger Cooper, a British businessman jailed in weekend signalling that Tehran on spying charges.

three problems as "transitory Damascus following their sup- and impermanent issues" and said they could be solved quickly if diplomatie ties be-tween London and Tehran were normalised. Another newspaper

terday made clear that hardliners in Iran were unhappy with the developments that have strengthened the position of their pragmatie oppo-pents. Jomhuri Islami insisted He said Britain and Iran Iran would not compromise

who said there was no evi- among other countries in the

nadoes and Hawk aircraft to cision to go ahead with full

Saudi Arabia, is having infor- production, which is not ex-

Iraqi MiGs pose air threat to allies

region.

fighter.

British Aerospace has a 33

per cent share in the work on

the aircraft. It is to produce the cockpit and front fusciage.

Rolls-Royce is providing a

similar share of the technology

for the engine to power the

each ordered 250 of the air-

craft, Italy 165 and Spain 100 in advance of the final de-

Germany and Britain have

on the death order against Mr Rushdie or on the case of Mr Cooper. Significantly, per-haps, the newspaper did not refer to the three British hostages in Lebanon. Mr Vaezi's remarks were

made to the Tehran Times, which is close to President Rafsanjani, on the same day Mr Vaezi described the that sources close to the Iranian government in Beirut were quoted as saying a British hostage would be freed later this month and all the 12 Westerners held captive in Lebanon would be released withio the next few weeks. There was no immediate

confirmation of the report.
Iran's Supreme National Security Council said last month it was satisfied that the

Rushdie's novel and ordered the foreign ministry to restore ties with Britain. Iran announced at the weekend it would allow 100,000

tanced itself from Mr

refugees to cross its territory. Thousands of foreigners, mostly Pakistaois, have crossed into Irao since it opened its borders last week to those fleeing from Kuwait. An Iranian official said most of the Pakistanis travelled overland to Pakistan, while others made their way to Tehran where their governments were making arrangements to fly them home. The UN Disaster Relief Organisation said it was trying to organise a fleet of buses to help up to 500,000

refugees gathering on Iran's

British government had dis-

AIRWAVES WAR

Awacs jamming a blow to America

From Susan Ellicott in Washington

IRAQI ground stations fitted with Soviet equipment recently jammed American and Saudi Arabian eavesdropping aircraft on observation missions in the Gulf, a report quoting American intelligence officials claims.

The report, in the Wash-

ington Times, has alarmed military experts, who have been emphasising the superiority of US intelligence forces. Iraq's capacity to jan the aircraft by using powerful multi-band transmitters on the ground is new since the end of the Iran-Iraq war two vears ago.

> The reports have increased fears that the Soviet Union might be helping Baghdad to operate the spying equipment which jammed the radar and communications systems of several Airborne Warning and Control System aircraft (Awacs). President Bush is expected to ask President Gorbachev this weekend in Helsinki to withdraw 193 Soviet military advisers acknowledged by Moscow to be

> American intelligence agencies estimate the number still working inside the country could be between one and two At least seven Saudi and US

Awacs aircraft have been flying in shifts 24 bours a day to monitor the Iraqi forces on the ground and in the air. US intelligence experts estimate that the aircraft would give about 12 to 24 bours' warning before an attack by Iraq. The Awacs have been vital during the past month to gauge Iraq's ground forces while the US builds up its own air forces to bolster its ground troops.

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By MICHAEL EVANS DEFENCE CORRESPONDENT iraq'a NiiG29 Fulcrum combat fighter AIR power has aiready played Iraqi air force has 30 a vital deterrent role in the Soviet MIG29s, one of the Gulf. The rapid deployment of most capable air superiority ... American F15s and F16s from their bases in the United States to Saudi Arabia and the line-up of carrier-based fighters in the Gulf and the Red Sea probably stopped the Iraqi tanks in their tracks as President Saddam Hussein thought twice about launching an offensive against the kingdom.

If there is to be war, it is accepted that air superiority will be decisive. Although many of Iraq's fighters are older generation aircraft, the two squadrens of Soviet MiG 29 Fulcrums will be more than a match for the American fights during the Iran-Iraq Fl5s and Fl6s, and the

British and Saudi Tornadoes. However, there is some Iraqi air force. doubt about the capabilities of The single-seat, twin-en-down radar but it is not about 30 of the aircraft.

The state of the s

gined MiG29, which first the Iraqi pilots. They have no combat experience since there became operational in the were virtually no aerial dogwar, largely because the Iran- FA18 Hornet. ians had nothing to rival the

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Soviet air force in 1985, is about the size of the American The Soviet domestic version has look-down, shoot-

sold to Iraq have this capability. In the West, the MiG29 is recognised to be one of the

known whether the MiG29s

best air fighters in the world. The Fulcrum's top speed is Mach 2.3, about 1,520mph, and its maximum rate of climb is 65,000ft a minute. The fighter can operate day and night and in bad weather. However, the pilot of a Fulcrum does not have the allround field of view provided for pilots in the American Fiss and Fiss.

ably the AA6 Acrid and AA8 Applied systems. The MiG 29s were first displayed to the West at the Farnborough air show in 1988. Iraq is believed to have

The MiG29 is armed with medium-range and shortrange air-to-air missiles, prob-

Alan Walters

rank, based on Germany's awesome productive power and low inflation, is the strongest currency in Europe. Yet when I look at its ranking in the European Monetary System, I see it is one of the "weakest" currencies (along with the franc and guilder), bumping along at the bottom of its assigned range of 2½ per cent either side of its central value in terms of the ecu. One might suppose that it would be a candidate for devaluation. Nothing could be further from the

Even stranger is the performance of Europe's weakest currencies, the peseta and the liralitaly, with its inflation and massive budget deficit (in relative terms three times higher than that of the US) has devalued nine times against the mark since 1979, halving the lira's mark value. Spain, a newcomer to the EMS, has an inflation and devaluation record about as dismal as Italy's. One would expect both to be on the way down. Confounded again. They are straining to burst through the top of their bands.

So the strong currencies sink and the weak currencies rise. This is economics through the looking-glass. But the image is further distorted. Recently we read of the other members of the EMS pressing Spain to cut its interest rates, and of Italy increasing the quantity of lira to keep it below the approved upper limit. But lower interest rates will add to Spain's already high inflation, and a larger quantity of lira will raise Italy's price levels more rapidly. Simultaneously, Germany, the Netherlands and France, which have low inflation and yet lie at the bottom of their bands, are coming under unrealistic pressure to raise interest rates.

The trouble is, of course, the exchange rate "guarantee". Suppose that the peseta is pinned at its upper level of about 60 pesetas to the mark and expected to remain there. With German interest rates at 8 per cent and Spanish at 15 per cent, an extra 7 per cent can be made by switching out of marks into pesetas, with the assurance that at the end of the period, one can switch back at the same rate, All footloose capital would flee to Spain. This would reduce peseta interest rates, but would raise the inflation rate.

inflation rate.

Of course this sad charade must end with a bang. All the options amount to a devaluation — or, strictly, an expectation of a decline in the value of the peseta. First, its value may move downwards within its band (yielding more pesetas per mark — say 66), leading to expectation of a realignment. What you make on the interest differential, then, is likely to be offsel by the devaluation, Indeed, if the impending devaluation is widely expected, the Spanish authorities may find it possible lo raise interest rates and institute a tough disinflationary policy.

imponderables, I find my-

self today preoccupied with

one question only: have I been a good son to Jeffrey Archer? Was he proud of me? Did I say the

right things? Did I use the right

fork? Were my shoes clean? Did

These things are important.

Dad rang me on Friday night.

I was in the bath, but I took the

call because who knew when

Dad might have another win-

dow? Five minutes later, and he

might be launched upon a new

novel, flying to Tokyo to open a

hot-dog stand, enthusing 10,000

Godalming Tories with visions

of broad sunlit uplands or parachuting into Baghdad with

a personal message from the

prime minister on the end of his

The cheery bark blew the soap

from my ear to explain that

young Jamie Archer would not

be accompanying his father to the NatWesi final, and I had

therefore no other option than

to be outside the Grace Gate at

He was nearly nine seconds

10.14 upon the morrow morn.

late. "Traffic," he explained. I

got in his car, and we hurtled

"You can't park inside today," I said. "Anyway. it's shut."

Dad's bumper nudged the ironwork. Two sicwards sprang. You know MCC stewards. On

their days off, they chase

Wisden, and tell me when an

knew their names. The gates

MCC steward last beamed.

"Good morning!" cried Dad.

'Oh, it's Mr Archer!" Scour

He shook their hands. He

These things are import-

He shook a lot more hands on

the scuttle to our box. So did 1.

Dad would say to me, "I don't think you know...", thumbs

would enwrap, and I now know

four policemen, two ground

staff, an ex-England rugger cap-

tain, his three friends, and half a

dozen other valuable contacts.

including, as I recall, the

shrewdest baronet in all Eng-

land. This more than made up

for missing the fall of the first

wicket, and - since DeFreitas

Rottweilers.

ant," said Dad.

round to the North Gate.

Saturday, however, was free.

Dunhill truncheon.

I drink too much?

But what happens after the devaluation (or realignment)? The same charade all over again. Of course there are other possible policies. Despite the perversity of monetary policy. Spain may attenuate its inflation by a vigorous fiscal policy (higher taxation or cuts in public spending). Yet the example of Italy shows that one should not bet on such a policy being adopted, and the history of fiscal policy bints that one should not expect conventional Keynesian results.

Another option is to try to limit money and credit by direct controls (such as "corsets", "ceilings", and directives) and by regulating the inflow of bot money with exchange controls. Spain has been heavily involved in such monetary dirigisme, but to little avail. During the year in which Spain has been pegging its exchange rate, monetary growth has ballooned to more than 15 per cent a year.

Spain's experience is an indicator of what will bappen when Britain formally begins to peg sterling in the Exchange Rate Mechanism — to which, judging by media reports presumably fuelled by ministerial briefings or leaks, we shall be committed within a few weeks. Last summer Britain agreed to enter the ERM when the inflation rate came down. Since then it has gone up. but I am sure it will be said that the conditions have been satisfied.

Britain has about the same underlying inflation as Spain (7 per cent) and the same interest rates (15 per cent), so one might expect a similar experience. But the pressures will be much greater. Sterling has always been more widely used than the unobtrusive peseta. The battering it is likely to take from speculators must far exceed anything that Spain has endured. If the government follows the advice of numerous pundits, the battering is likely to be much worse, and the swings of the exchange rate much wilder.

To provide a shock to inflationary expectations, say the pundits, sterling should be pegged at a high central value, such as 3,20 marks. Some want sterling to remain this bigh until monetary union. I believe that this would require a decline in Britain's prices—that is, actual deflation.

Because of inflationary pressures (oil, reunification), German interest rates may soon rise from about 8 per cent to about 12 per cent. To defend stability, Britain may reinstitute credit controls, and perhaps "temporary" capital controls on hot money. This may seem unthiokable, but in my time i have seen many unthinkable thoughts become conventional wisdom and politically impossible ideas become statesmanlike solutions. As we proceed towards some form of monetary union, it would be foolish to expect a smooth ride.

Sir Alan Walters was formerly personal economic adviser to the prime minister.

was singularly on song - the

second, too, because as we

arrived in the box, it was of

course essential 10 establish

whether I knew Lord and Lady

Alexander, the Chancellor of

the Exchequer, Freddie True-

man, and some two dozen other

delightful companions, a pro-

cess which allowed Fordham of

Northants to avoid the embarr-

assment of having me see him stick his pad where his bat

watch it on the television replay, leaving Dad at some-

thing of a loose end. Fortu-

nately, however, Cecil Parkin-

son was in the next box.

discovered this when I heard

my name shouted, and there

was Dad, magically teleported

to the other side of the railing.

whence he excitedly beckoned

me. because he didn'ı know

whether I knew either Cecil or

Ann, or, as soon as I did. Sirs

Leon Brittan or Christopher

price to pay for having my back

to both Larkins and Bailey

while they were severally snick-

ing stuff into the keeper's

haberdashery. Nor should I not

have been delighted to cement

my new friendship had time.

sadly, not been of the essence.

grease on his hair," puffed Dad, as we sprinted the encircling

corridor, "these things are important." And, breaking stride

only to ascertain whether I knew Julian Holloway, two somewhat flustered WPCs, and

the smartest banker in all

Europe, he suddenly flung him-

self into another box, and I fell.

An astonishing spot. Hardly had I established lifelong friend-

ships with Sir Leonard Hullon,

P.B.H. May, Mike Gatting,

Brian Johnston, Doug Insole

and a host of their chums and

relatives, than I felt Dad drag-

ging my sleeve lowards R.E.S.

Wyatt to find out whether I

knew England's oldest surviv-

ing cricket captain. As I bent to

shake his hand, Lamb became

An inswinger, I discovered

from Sunday's paper. Not that

these things are important.

DeFreitas's fifth scalp.

gasping. after him.

"Glad Cecil's stopped putting

Dad flew, and I followed.

That I now do seems a small

Tugendhat, cither.

Everyone then ran inside to

should have been.

...and moreover

ALAN COREN

America's first black president?

he Gulf crisis will determine whether George Bush is iniumphantly re-elected or goes the way of Jimmy Carter. It could also give the US, if things go well, its first black president.

While America has had black

well, its first black president.

White America has had black mayors, black state governors and black members of both houses of Congress. General Colin Powell, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, is the first black to rise to the professional summit of the American armed forces. In the present crisis, his authority is third in line, behind only the defence secretary, Richard Cheney, and the commander-in-chief — who is, of course the president

course, the president.

In America, the status of military hero can be a great political asset. George Washington set the tone in the earliest days of the republic. A generation later, Andrew Jackson, who made his name by defeating the British at New Orleans at the end of the 1812 war, was swept to the presidency on a tide of popular enthusiasm. It was he who first gave the republic a truly democratic character.

After the Civil War, the prestige of the Union's victorious commander, Ulysses Grant, ensured bis election as president, though, unlike Washington and Jackson, he turned out to be a disaster. In 1952, Dwight Eisenhower became

president entirely on the strength of having commanded the victorious Allied armies in Europe. Adlai Stevenson, the man he twice defeated, complained ruefully of

his hopeless task of running against a new George Washington. Eisenhower may not have been the most dynamic of presidents, but he was highly successful. He united the country, made it feel good about itself and enhanced its image abroad. On big issues, his judgment was sound.

In some ways, Colin Powell's

character and career recall Eisenhower's, especially in his proven ability to inspire trust and get along with every kind of person. Like Eisenhower, he has been dealing with politicians for years, and learning bow government works, without any of the odium of being a professional politician. The main difference — in his favour — is that before be came to Washington as a military adviser and staff officer, he bad considerable combat experience; Eisenhower had none.

hower had none.

Both men rose from humble origins, although Powell had to contend with much bigger disadvantages than like. The son of poor Jamaican immigrants, he spent much of his childhood in the Bronx district of New York. Readers of Tom Wolfe's The



Ruch and Coneral Powell, the man who might succeed him

Bonfire of the Vanities will understand just how far be has come. When Eisenhower's military career ended in glory, nobody knew what bis politics were, but both parties were eager to recruit him. President Truman would have liked him to run as Democratic candidate in 1952, but in the event he opted for the Republicans and was elected on the Republican ticket. Almost certainly he would have been elected with equal ease as a Democrat. Powell's politics too are a deliberately open question. Al-

though an intimate member of the Bush circle, he has emphasised in interviews bis service to presidents of both parties. For the Republicans a Powell candidature would stress the party's openness to all races; for the Democrais he would be the means to pull the party together after decades of racial and left-wing divisiveness that have made it seemingly unelectable in presidential races.

That, at least, is the theory as discussed in Washington. In practice, racial tension in America is serious and worsening. In such circumstances, it is possible that no black, not even an all-American hero, would be chosen as a candidate for the presidency, let alone elected. Yet a sufficient number of white Americans may soon decide that a black president of the right sort would be the best way to reconcile the races and unify the nation.

of the right sort would be the best way to reconcile the races and unify the nation.

The question is unlikely to arise nntil 1996, because if the Gulf crisis turns out well for America, Bush will be hard to best in 1992. On that assumption, Powell would be well placed for the following round. His contribution to a major national achievement

would not have been forgotten, and he would still be under 60.

If he has presidential ambitions, he could retire from the army and compound the effect of his military apotheosis by engaging in worthy civilian activities calculated to appeal to white Americans without antagonising the blacks — who, in any case, could be expected to support him overwhelmingly. At a suitable moment he could declare himself a Democrat or a Republican, and willing to run for president. The rest would be up to the voters. His election would be of immeasurable significance, not just for America but for the world.

JOHN GRIGG

Turmoil everywhere, so it's back to the drawing board

wenty-six years ago I began to write, and 15 years ago I published, a History of the World. In retrospect, the enterprise seems bolder than il did at the time, I could not nerve myself to start again today, though a revision seems manageable.

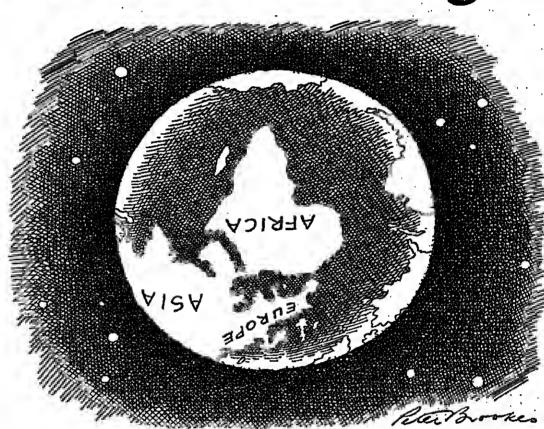
Already there have been several revisions, the last in 1988, bringing the story up to date in some important respects, and correcting errors. But this was not fundamental, and hardly justified speaking of a "revised" ediuon. Yet now one is needed. Why?

It is not a matter of changing the

main ideas of the book. On re-reading it, I think they stand up (and the reading public seems to agree). The basic themes and main lines were set, I now see, well back in the 1960s; they were announced incidentally in what I wrote elsewhere. The story to tell seemed to me to be about the increasing human ability to manipulate nature and create contolicated societies, accompanied at every step by fresh evidence of humanity's self-destructive power and per-haps uncontrollable impulses. Variety and sub-division of mankind could be seen giving way gradually (but unevenly) down the millennia to a world system that in which we live - where for the first time the hackneyed term These themes still seem to me

the right ones. So what has to be changed? The most obvious need comes at the end of the story. Taking account of the most recent events, which have changed the way we must see our century, is now an urgent task. An era that began in 1945 is over. The sharp adjustment in Russia's world role. the crumbling of the East European system which had been in place since 1947, and the consolidation of Western Europe. hesitant though it is, all draw a line under a historical phase. Something new lies ahead.

No important historical divisions are ever neat. In principle, both the Arab and the Islamic factors in international relations have been with us since the creation of Israel, and evidently so since the Iranian revolution of 1979. The Iraqi contribution to world disorder this summer does not in itself mark a phase, startling though it is. And some things go on just the same. Twenty-five years after the Indonesian coup of



John Roberts explains why, after only 15 years, he feels a major revision of his History of the World is necessary

1965 (which was perhaps the end of one of Mao's dreams), some of the losers are still in jail, and occasionally one or two are taken out and hanged, presumably pour encourager les outres.

So perspective and information should both be reconsidered in revising the last chapters of a world history. Perspective is the harder to get right. Walter Raleigh wrote a history of the world and warned the writer of recent history that if he treads too closely on the heels of events, he may get his teeth kicked out. Still, while looking at 15-year-old judgments with that warning in mind. I feel encouraged. Recent events do not for example, make me change my view of the 20th century as above all the age of nationalism's greatest triumohs.

Information is less of a problem; there is too much of it anyway, and handling it is a task of selection, which comes back to perspective. Recent history is not, as people sometimes think, very much a matter of new revelaions. The information now pouring out of Moscow about Stalin's abominations will surprise only the still-infatuated (if there are any: their virtual disappearance is noteworthy) and scarcely changes our

assessment of him.

For 40 years there has been no serious doubt about responsibility for the Katyn massacre. Even the recent coofirmation that plans for the North Korean invasion of the South in 1950 were approved by Moscow in advance is not very striking. As for the other superpower, the assiduity of American journalists and politicians in exploiting their generous rules of access to official material does not leave much hope of discovering stirring secrets there.

New knowledge — historical discovery — matters more at the other end of the book. It is

the view at the beginning which has changed most in 20 years. Even the vocabulary has been revolutionised. What on earth (I presame they were on earth) are stromatolites? They were not there wheo I last passed this way. More important, vast changes of dating and perspective have been made by archaeologists and palaeoethnographers in the last two decades. They will make demands on space, too.

To bring in new and important material, something must go. It is not difficult to decide that while I once thought that 200 million years ago was an early enough start. 40 million will now suffice. But that saves only two sentences. Even tougher problems lie elsewhere. One is set by the recent

But that saves only two sentences.

Even tougher problems lie elsewhere. One is set by the recent history of science. Nothing is potentially more important for our understanding of what is bappening to our species. Twenty years ago, broadly speaking, the

last stage in that history that seemed to demand attention was the heroic age of nuclear physics, roughly that beginning with Clerk Maxwell in the last century, and unrolling with Becquerel, the Curies, Rutherford, Eiostein, Planck, Chadwick, Bohr and quantum mechanics. They changed our intellectual map. What has happened since, I do not yet know, but I have a feeling that the identification of oew particles at even vaster cost — progress though this be—indicates some rallentando in scientific innovation. The life sciences, at first guess, are now where the action is, I shall have to find out,

ne problem is always with us. Every historian knows that there is only a frontier zone, not a clear boundary, between historical facts: and the meaning we give them. Values move easily across it. This does not matter much, or perhaps at all, when we are concerned only with, say, the date of the Armada. That it was 1588 becomes important only when it is related to some other issue - say. the progress of English Protestantism, or the plans of the Spanish towards his recalcitran Netherlands subjects: But a fact of different matter altogether. What does such a monstrosity signify? Many of my colleagues have devoted years to studying it, but they will, I bope, forgive me if I suggest that we have not yet come to terms with its meaning in the sense that we can "place" it in our historical landscape.

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There is, I now see, much more to be done in the next year than I thought when I discussed a completely revised edition with my publishers, Hutchinson. There may be more to find out about the middle, too, as well as about the beginning and the end. Historical scholarship has marched on gloriously since 1970. Perhaps there is an important discovery to be reported about the behaviour of Anabaptists on the stock exchange? It will be exciting to find out - and to leave out too. The body is there on the operating table; radical or even merely cosmetic, let surgery commence. Spectators are welcome to make their views known to the operator. The author is Warden of Merton College, Oxford.

Benn breaks his bonds

Behind-the-scenes moves to gag Tony Benn in the Commons debate on the Gulf on Thursday have come badly unstuck. As a privy councillor, he expects to be called — to denounce the western military build-up — soon after Mrs Thatcher and Neil Kinnock sit down, and long before humble backbenchers who have never held cabinet office get their say.

Labour leaders were hoping to spike Benn's guns by dusting off an obscure rule change by the Parliamentary Labour Party, enthusiastically supported by Benn, which sought to remove the automatic right of privy councillors to be called carly in debates. Two years ago, Labour MP Norman Buchan was deputed by the PLP to tell the Speaker, Bernard Weatherill, who ultimately decides the Commons speaking order, that the Opposition, in true egalitarian spirit, no longer expected him to observe the precedent of calling privy coun-

cillors first.

Stan Orme, chairman of the Parliamentary Labour Party, reinforced that message yesterday:

Some of the people who want to speak in a controversial sense are privy councillors, and they use that situation. The Speaker will be prevailed upon to see there is a proper balance and that privy

councillors do not dominate."

But Weatherill, a staunch traditionalist seems certain to take
little notice of the PLP's wishes
and to call Benn in the full

knowledge that his speech will be one of the highlights of the debate. Benn, an expert on parliamentary procedure, said yesterday: "I will take my chance, and after 40 years in Parliament I think I have a chance." Indeed he has. Benn seems certain 10 catch the Speaker's eye not as a privy councillor but simply as one of the chief opponents of the government's motion to adjourn, which the Opposition is officially supporting. "We are being asked to come back for two days in order to go away again for five weeks and allow the government to handle the situation without any form of parliamentary accountability," he says.

Streetwise Crisp

uentin Crisp's walk-on part in Fatal Attraction was one of the least memorable moments of the box-office smash, which started Glenn Close and Michael Douglas. But the high priest of camp certainly made an impression on the film's deputy director, Jonathan Nowsilter, who subsequently made a 90-minute film documentary about him.

The Resident Alien opens at the Toronto Film Festival next week, and Crisp, a lively \$1, will not miss his moment of glory. "It's one of the first major works on my life since The Naked Civil Servant," he says, "And dear John Hurt agreed to take part" — as he old in the television film of his life. The new film features Crisp talking his way around Manbattan, where he has lived for

some time.



Crisp, who still enjoys what he describes as "great notoriety" in America, spent only two days as an extra on the set of Fatol Attraction. "I have a terrible confession to make. I have seen it several times, but not once did I see myself. Did they leave me on the cutting-room floor?"

Ne'er the twain

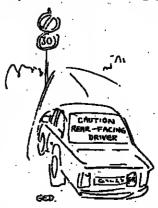
nly days after Cameron Mackintosh managed to overturn American Equity's ruling that the lead role in the Broadway version of Miss Saigon must go to an oriental actor, he is auditioning again for the London show — and Asians only need apply. "Cameron Mackintosh announces auditions for oriental artists," say the trade press advertisements — but all strictly in accordance with section 5(2)(a) of the 1976 Race Relatioos Act they insist

Act, they insist.
"Quite simply, half the cast is oriental and we need some more," says a spokesman. He dismissed suggestions that Mackintosh was guilty of double standards after insisting that Jonathan Pryce play

the lead role of a Eurasian pimp on Broadway, as he has done in London. The Pryce character, said the spokesman, "is only half oriental". But hang on; surely Pryce is one hundred per cent Anglo-Saxon? "Well be only has to look half oriental." comes the helpful explanatioo.

Slow lanes for fast

s Cecil Parkinson considers the recommendation in the M1 jet crash report of rearfacing seats, he might also consider proposals that motorways be redesigned swapping fast lanes for slow. The suggestion comes from David Crisp, bead of designers Crisp and Wilson. "It would be



less perilous if the slow lanes were adjoining," he says. "There would be no head-on collisions between fast-lane vehicles, and dazzle would be reduced."

Crisp further suggests that ser-

vice statioos be placed in the

central reservation, catering for traffic going both ways — so halving the number required. The only immediately apparent drawback is that traffic entering the motorway would do so into the fast lane rather than the slow. "I first put up my ideas to the ministry of transport ten years ago," says Crisp. "They sent me a very civil-service-ish letter which showed they totally misunderstood what I was on about. But I think they might be more receptive now."

Guinness hangovers continue to cause sore heads. The Royal Acadeny of Music is suffering some embarrassment over its ad in the latest Opera magazine offering advanced professional singing courses. Hoving gone to press before the verdict, it hoasts: "The Sir Jack Lyons Opera Theatre is regarded as one of the finest of its kind."

Read all about it

hile Artbur Scargill spent an uncomfortable time with bis TUC colleagues inside Blackpool's Winter Gardens yesterday, his wife Anne was to be found outside rubbing sboulders with the assorted Trotskyists and Stalinists selling their revolutionary wares. They, of course, were repeating their ageold demand for an immediate general strike, plus victory to Iraq over the western imperialists. Disdaining such lofty issues, Mrs Scargill was merely peddling copies of her husband's defence in the NUM Moscow gold controversy at 50p a time.

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NO SOFT OPTIONS

Even before parliament convenes on Thursday, Labour and Liberal Democrat leaders are reaching for the cloak of the United Nations to justify jettisoning their promises of a nonpartisan approach to the government's handling of policy on the Gulf. A letter to the prime minister from Paddy Ashdown, the Liberal Democrats' leader, demands commitments which would severely constrain Britain's future military options. These Mrs Thatcher

has consistently, and rightly, refused to make. Mr Ashdown expects the government to state unequivocally that Britain will "follow sanctions, and sanctions alone", in pursuit of its aim. He asks for an undertaking that Britain accepts that it is for the UN Security Council, not individual states, to decide if further action is required, and a pledge that Britain will not initiate offensive action without the council's explicit authorisation. He challenges the government's contention that the individual and collective self-defence clause of the UN Charter, article 51, provides adequate legal grounds for assisting Kuwait to recover its territory. Significantly, his letter never mentions the victim, Kuwait,

Labour's Gerald Kaufman, not content with launching his own peace plan for the entire Middle East last week, has taken this attachment to the United Nations a stage further. Not only has he made Labour's support for the government conditional on the latter acting only with specific UN authorisation, but he purports to believe that "the whole object of this exercise is to uphold the authority of the UN". The UN is only a means to an end. A more upside down sense of priorities in the face of Iraq's aggression is difficult to imagine.

Any approach now which encourages President Saddam Hussein to believe that he can hold on to Knwait decreases the hope of his withdrawing and thus increases the risk of war. The rapid deployment of American forces in Saudi Arabia pre-empted an Iraqi move on the Saudi oilfields. The decision to use American and British forces to impose the naval blockade on Iraq forced Saddam (and the international community) to take sanctions seriously. But Iraq remains in possessioo of Kuwait, and has refused even to discuss withdrawal with the UN secretary-general, whose peace efforts seem increasingly futile.

Should Iraq now conclude that no further action will be taken without UN approval, Baghdad will multiply its efforts to bypass sanctions and hope for the world to tire of confrontation. What then? Article 51 says that states are justified in using force against aggression only "until the Security Council has taken measures necessary to maintain international peace and security". This famous catch-all phrase allows room for the judgment on the definition of "necessary". More to the point are the successive resolutions on Kuwait itself, which imposed enforceable sanctions in order to remove Iraq from Kuwait. These resolutions explicitly left open the question of article 51, under which the British, American and Arab forces are now operating.

In the escalation of any conflict, states directly involved in resisting an acknowledged threat to peace are likely to form their own views on the appropriate use of force. Important as it is to use the United Nations as the basis for any multinational action, failure to compel Iraq to retreat would be a far greater, and more consequential, defeat for international law than acting without the express sanction of the security council. A week of tense negotiations was required to obtain security council endorsement of an already existing naval blockade. That provides a foretaste of the difficulty of getting 15 states to approve offensive military action to drive Iraq from Kuwait. There will always be peace moves in the offing, excuses to defer a decision.

Mrs Thatcher should not bow to Mr Ashdown's further demand that Britain limit itself in advance to removing Iraq from Kuwait. The tactical equation of any conflict over Kuwait could well require military action against Iraq, both to ensure a successful withdrawal, and to prevent any early repetition. The prime minister understands this and deserves ungrudging support on Thursday from all sides of the house.

THE TUC PLAYS POLITICS

The Trades Union Congress annual conference in Blackpool yesterday was ostensibly debating industrial relations law. In reality the debate. was pure electoral politics. The TUC wants Labour to win the next election more than it wants anything else. For most of the delegates that was the only point at issue, as it is the only poiot for the employment secretary, Michael Howard, who timed a press conference to coincide with the debate to spoil the TUC's fun. Both sides know that trade union reform has, since 1979, been the thorn in Labour's side. Neil Kinnock is seeking desperately to remove it; Mr Howard is seeking equally desperately to drive it further in. On their reiative success the n

The electorate will look in vain for further illumination on where industrial law in Britain is likely to go in the next decade. The debate on Labour's trade union policy must eventually return from the higher slopes of electioneering to ground level. Above all, Tony Blair, the shadow employment mininster, should take an early opportunity to spell out exactly, with no further ambiguity or room for backing off later, Labour's approach to the law on secondary.

Is such picketing to return to the everyday armoury of industrial conflict or is it to be an exceptional and marginal phenomenon? Mr Blair, with injured innocence, gives the latter impression. But so far there is no guarantee that the law he proposes would not have the former effect. The deliberately loose drafting of Labour's policy review on this point could mean several different things. The right to picket suppliers and customers, for instance, could mean picketing power stations in virtually every dispute; the right to picket those whose terms and conditions are linked to the conditions in dispute could be applied across a whole todustrial sector.

Until this credibility gap is closed, Mr Howard is entitled to make Labour's secondary picketing policy mean whatever suits his

argument. The majority at the TUC yesterday was not concerned to dot every i in Labour's approach but primarily to give a vague impression of approval to the new policies to a sceptical world outside. The world cannot be much impressed. The majority contained a slab of votes, mainly from Ron Todd's transport union, which were also cast for the contrary motion.

Such tactics convey an impression of muddle or cynicism and suggest that the decision was more meaningless than it looked. But at least the Labour party will not now have to enter the next election campaign in a state of war with its main union constituency. The difficult for the TUC to repudiate the small print of a Labour government's industrial relations law, whatever it turns out to be. The trade union movement is trusting Mr Blair to be gentle with it: a trust the electorate would like to see misplaced.

. The TUC needs no reminding that trade unionism is in decline in Britain and that unions are finding the present industrial climate stony ground for sowing their message. With varying degrees of radicalism the "realists", to whom the trade union future (if there is one) surely belongs, believe in adaptation and persuasion, a market response to the changed needs of the potential individual consumer. The traditionalists are praying for a return to their collectivist golden

age, whenever that was. What both hanker after is the end of the siege of trade union affairs that they associate with Tory policies, the new dawn of trade union power that they expect the election of a Labour government to bring. Their desperation to see that day at almost any cost was the real message of yesterday's decision. The more firmly grounded their hopes, however, the more reason the electorate will have for giving credence to Mr Howard's version of Labour policy rather than Mr Blair's.

COLOUR NO OBJECT

A chorus of disapproval broke out in New York in July when a "Cancasian" actor, Jonathan Pryce, was mooted to play the part of a Eurasian pimp in the Broadway production of the musical Miss Saigon. He had played the part brilliantly in London and no Asian-American reached such a standard in auditions. Now another, similar row may break over the head of the musical's producer, Cameron Mackintosh. Advertising in The Stage for chorus replacements in the London show, he states that only Orientals need apply. A case of double standards or legitimate artistic discrimination?

American Equity, the actors' trade union, was quite wrong to try to blackball Mr Pryce in the first place. (It has since backed down but has refused to give the production the full backing that Mr Mackintosh demands.) The job of an actor is to portray somebody else so convincingly that the audience suspends its disbelief. The better the actor, the bigger the credibility gap across which he can carry an audience. Most casting directors would prefer to find an actor who approximates in appearance and age to the character he or she plays. But acting ability can make up for discrepancies between the actor and the part. A convincing actor, with the aid of a good makeup artist, can be made to age several decades in the course of a play without difficulty.

Mr Pryce needs good make-up too; each night in the London production, he taped his eyelids down to make himself more eastern. More important for the audience is the talent he brings to the part. For over two hours, he rarely leaves the stage and the singing and dancing required would tax the most professional of musical actors. To deny him the chance to play on Broadway would deprive New York audiences of the opportunity to witness a performance of merit. American Equity's stand was contrary to the demands of

Such "anti-racist" pressure could backfire on a theatrical world that is becoming increasingly flexible about colour. Josette Simon, a black actress, has recently played the Marilyn Monroe character in Arthur Miller's After the Fall with great panache. Productions at the National Theatre and the Royal Shakespeare Company often include black actors in white parts, even in Shakespeare. Pigeonholing actors into ethnic compartments is the best way of ensuring that non-whites never get the chance to play the great parts in the Englishspeaking theatrical repertoire.

Does that imply that Mr Mackintosh was wrong to specify "Orientals only" for his chorus, discriminating, so to speak, against non-Orientals? Not necessarily. Producers and directors should cast the best-suited actors for any role. Suitability includes appearance, for appearance is one of the devices that the dramatist uses. Mr Pryce's natural looks may not have been well-suited to his part but his acting ability and cosmetic skill more than

made up for the shortfall. For less demanding parts, such as those that are now being advertised, there are doubtless plenty of Asian actors with the requisite skills. The issue is thus not the politics of race but the integrity of art. The art at issue is that of the director. On the assumption that directors are themselves not discriminating on grounds of race - not always a fair assumption but fair in this case — they should not be forced by the law, or by trade union action, so to do.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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lesson, that the nations must be

cohesive and determined in

upholding international law, is

now being learned, albeit over a

What would be welcome, how-

ever (although unlikely to be

forthcoming), would be a public

apology from all those who then

opposed the Suez expedition, in one of the most contemptible

generation too late.

prime minister.

her do so?

Yours faithfully.

TOBY HORTON.

Whorlton Cottage.

Swainby, Northallerton, North Yorkshire.

Sir. Should there not be a further UN resolution that, unless Iraq withdraws from Kuwait by a given

date, a UN force be assembled, as

in Korea, from those countries

prepared to provide forces, with a

mission to use whatever mini-

mum force is necessary to make

Such a resolution would pro-

vide the teeth and deadline to

force Saddam to choose between

fighting a war he could not win or

unconditionally withdrawing from

Kuwait with the massive loss of

Sir. Fifty years ago we used to

disperse aircraft irregularly over airfields for passive safety. Your photo (August 30) of

neatly fined-up Tornadoes is a

positive invitation for a knock-out

blast with a single missile. Have

of the queries they receive. I doubt

whether they can spend up to 11/2

hours with each client. Neither do

I imagine that they can be reached

at home during evenings and

weekends, a service offered by

During the past two years -

originally at the request of some

schools - I have conducted semi-nars round the UK, the audiences

largely consisting of careers offi-cers and teachers seeking up-to-

In view of such a need may I

suggest that PCAS, perhaps com-

bining with UCCA, might or-

ganise some in-service training

courses for advisers in June, July

and August, rather than criticise

private organisations who have

recognised a need and who find it

an increasingly costly exercise.

Higher Education Advice and

200 Greyhound Road. W14.

I am glad to say that in 1955

Rugby became one of the first

public schools to register its

archives, among which are per-sonal papers of Thomas Arnold

and Archbishop Frederick Tem-

ple. The archives of The Time's

and its successive proprietors and

editors, including political papers of John Walter MP (1776-1847).

Registration is entirely vol-

uniary and the Commission relies

heavily on owners and custodians

to supply it with up-to-date

information. Their confidentiality

is always preserved when re-

quested and any special terms of

Even if some privately owned

historical manuscripts are not

available for research at present it

is important for the nation's history that their existence and

whereabouts should be recorded.

BRIAN S. SMITH, Secretary.

Quality House. Quality Court

The Royal Commission on

Historical Manuscripts.

access for research are set out.

have also been registered here.

BRIAN HEAP, Director,

face that would involve.

Gayton, Northamptonshire.

From Mr W. S. Parker

the RAF forgotten?

. S. PARKER

68 Ladies Mile Road.

Brighton, East Sussex.

some private agencies.

date information.

Yours faithfully

Planning Service,

still to be listed.

August 24.

Yours faithfully.

Patcham,

August 31.

Yours faithfully.

Gayton Manor.

August 29.

MICHAEL KOE

From Brigadier M. Koc (reid)

From Sir Archie Lamb

Sir, The statement by Mr Abdulla Bishara (August 30) that he be-lieves in "diplomacy based on force" is surprising, coming as it does from a distinguished and experienced Kuwaiti diplomat: his government did not base its diplomacy between 1961 and 1990 on its exiguous armed forces. Its not unsuccessful diplomacy in many fields may have been supported by the power of its wealth; but that is a long way from force.

If the government of Kuwaii and the other members of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) agree with Mr Bishara on the basis for successful diplomacy they must have accepted a view that I have held for many years and which I have expressed, for example, in a talk I gave in Washington, DC, in October 1987:

If Iran ceases to be a power in the Gulf, Iraq will have a freer hand to pursue its ambitions in the region, ambitions which the Gulf states, individually or in combination, are not strong enough to withstand without outside support.

The restoration of an independent Kuwait will not guarantee that trag's long-standing elaim to Kuwait will be consigned to the history books. The United Nations and/or the Arab world and/or the Western world are facing the open-ended commitment of an evident presence in the Gulf to deter further "diplomacy based on force" in which Mr Bishara professes to believe and. presumably, admires.

Yours faithfully. A. T. LAMB. White Cross Lodge. Zeals, Wiltshire. August 30.

From Mr Toby Horton Sir, In the aftermath of Suez. Sir Anthony Eden wrote (in Full Circle):

The main question is whether inertia would have brought better results for the peace of the world than action. I think oot. I thought and think that failure to act would have brought the worst of consequences.

A modest consolation of the past weeks is that the judgment of the Eden government in 1956 has finally been vindicated. The hard

Examination questions From the Director of the Higher Education Advice and Planning Service

Sir, The Chief Executive of the Polytechnics Central Admissions System (August 23) appears to grossly underestimate the anxieties of applications to higher education and their parents at Alevel time and overestimates the ease with which they can obtain relevant personal advice. The Universities Central Council on Admissions and PCAS have faced the difficult task of organising a complex system, which nevertheless causes confusion among sixthformers every year and considerable expense to their parents.

I concur that a student's first source of advice should be his or her school, except that most schools are closed in August. Similarly I always recommend enquirers to seek free advice from the careers service, but whilst careers officers can answer many

Manuscript access From the Secretory of the Royal Commission on Historicol

Monuscripts 1 4 1 Sir, The librarian of Rugby School enquires (Augusi 25) whether private owners of historical manuscripts might be offered an opportunity to register their papers to make these known and accessible to scholars whilst retaining their rights of property

and privacy. The National Register of Archives has been fulfilling this purpose since its establishment in 1945. It is maintained by this Commission, which has registered 33,224 such collections. Lists of their contents may be consulted in its search room, the papers themselves being located in about 1.350 record offices and libraries or in the hands of some 4,000 private

owners, individual and corporate. About 2,000 new or substantially amended lists are registered annually and reported in the Commission's publications. Additionally, its central indexes note numerous collections which have

Roads and traffic

From Mr Richard Diment Sir. It is unfortunate that Dame Jennifer Jenkins (report. August 25) should seek to perpetuate the myth that the Government's road programme will generate such quantities of extra cars that an area the size of Berkshire would have to be put aside simply for parking them.

The experience of periods in which few or no additions were made to the road network clearly show that traffic continued to

Cathedral aid

From the Reverend Michael Lloyd Sir, Mr Oliver Lever suggests (August 22) that the Archbishop of Canterbury's appeal for govern-ment aid for cathedrals is "surely ill-founded" on the grounds that the extra money needed could be met by a 50 per cent increase in giving by the average churchgoer. that we should give more and that wealthy dioceses should support

their poorer neighbours. I suspect that average chuchgoers would not out the preservation of ancient buildings as a high priority for the mission of the Church or for the receipt of their extra 50 per cent. Churches' are being distracted from their main aims by the

Chancery Lane. London WC2. grow substantially.
In 1987 and 1988 only one mile of new motorway was opened in Britain, but strong economic growth meant the traffic volume continued to rise rapidly, particularly on the motorways. It was this experience that resulted in the adoption of the current road programme.

Yours faithfully. RICHARD DIMENT (Deputy Director). British Road Federation Limited. Pillar House 194-202 Old Kent Road, SEI.

financial drain caused by their (proper) sense of responsibility for

the buildings they have inherited. Government aid would be entirely appropriate to help reduce the weight of this (beautiful) albatross around their necks. Yours faithfully. MICHAEL LLOYD (Assistant Chaplain). While agreeing with Mr Lever

Worcester College, Oxford. From Mr Trevor Furse Sir. The Bishop of Chester (August 29) reminds us of how "giving" to cathedrals and churches actually

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Diplomacy and use of force in Gulf Jewish dimension to Guinness trial

From Mr Joel Freedman Sir. In his article. "High finance.

higher ethic" (September 1). Mr Longley acknowledges the danger of making the "sweeping proposition that Jews are especially inclined to sharp business prac-tices . . but he says. many non-Jews think they are. He further acknowleges that, while in folk prejudice the "Jewish banker" is an unkind cliche, "herein lies

displays of funk yet seen. I write with feeling, having had the privilege to contest in 1983 the the problem. He exists". Who stands to lose more from same parliamentary constituency these misconceptions? The Jew in County Durham that Eden who is the victim of them or the himself contested in 1922. The non-Jew who is misguided enough time has now come fully to to believe them? For the non-Jew. redeem the reputation of a wise they give rise to some theological debate and some soul-searching. For the Jew, they have threatened his very existence. Sadly, Mr Longley makes no

reference 10 the disproportionate contribution which Jews have made to the financial circles of which they have ever been a part. Nor does he mention their disproportionate contribution in the fields of law, medicine, philos-ophy and science and every other facet of benevolent human cndeavour. No reference is made 10 the disproportionately high num-bers of Jews killed in the armed services of this country during two world wars, which surely contrasts with the "us" and "them" menial-ity and "outsider" perspectives of which he speaks.

The contribution, highly disproportionate to their numbers. made by Jews throughout history has earned them small return from the civilised world. Would it make much difference, then, if they felt greater or lesser collective responsibility for the errant few in their midst? Yet Jews still feel that Yet Jews still feel that

responsibility.

If non-Jewish "perspectives" were all that they might be, the statement that "All four defendants in the Guinness trial were

Value of research

Sir. A glance at your advertise-ment pages will show that aca-demic salaries are at least 33 per cens below those of comparable professionals in other sectors - a percentage which agrees closely with the proportion of time spent by academic staff on research. The Universities Funding Council would argue that it spends about a third of its resources on research

teaching and administration ... free" Such an interpretawhy basic academic research is

Equal poll tax relief

Sir, Your Law Report (August 22) incompatible with the European Community equal treatment directive. The cases concerned benefits with a condition of entitlement relating to pensionable age -60 for a woman and 65 for a man This, being unfavourable to men. was ruled inappropriate for the benefits concerned.

It is interesting to compare these with community charge impswho had reached 60, and men who had reached 65, by April 1, 1990 April I, 1989.

Church repairs From Mr Ken Hawes

Sir, Between the leaves of one of my antiquarian books I found this scrap of paper penned by someone with similar pent-up feelings to your recent correspondence on church repairs (August 24, 30): There lives in Bow Lanc onc George Nicholson who built the new bridge, who to contrive a job made Dr Sharp and the Dean and Prebends believe he could greatly add to the beauty of the church by new chisseling it over on the East side and that he could add to the beauty of the ancient windows by means of his own genius. But all lovers of antiquity must regret that such men are suffered to pollute with their hands the venerably work of so many ages This Nicholson is now going on with what he calls repairs in the year 1780, though I had rather see the dust of antiquity than anything that can come from HLM. — Signed J. Ogle. A genuine lover of ancient

craftsmanship or an unsuccessful tenderer? Yours faithfully. KEN HAWES. 246 Long Readings Lane,

Farnham Royal, Slough. Berkshire. takes place, but for the visitor it is enforced.
On a recent visit to Ely Cathe-

dral the admission charge was £2.20. This did not include the west tower (an extra £1.66), nor the stained glass exhibition (another £1). £4.80 for the day far exceeds Mr Lever's suggested contribution of £4 per week.

The saddest part of the visit to Ely was the sight of a small family group, at first hovering near the entrance and then turning away having counsed the cost.

For them their heritage was already too expensive. Yours faithfully. TREVOR FURZE g Folly Lane. Wool. Wareham, Dorset-

Jews" would have difficulty finding a place in your columns.

Yours etc. JOEL FREEDMAN. 31 Boydell Court. St John's Wood Park, NW8. September 2

From Sir Alfred Sherman

Sir. Since Mishnaic times, our sages have pronouced on the question: dino domalklimo dino. the law of the land is the law. This was later more picturesquely paraphrased as "render unto Cae-sar...". They have also reminded Jews that all are in effect hostages for each others' behaviour. Jewish institutions have always made efforts, wherever possible, to ensure that the behaviour of each and every Jew be

All we know of several centuries of Jewish settlement in this country belies the assertions retailed by Clifford Longley, and indeed shows the contrary to be true. Shall we now be constrained to prove our innocence?

Yours respectfully ALFRED SHERMAN 10 Gerald Road, SWI. September 2.

From Mr Aubrey Seller Sir. The comments of Mr Clifford Longicy are primo facie reasonably balanced relating to the "Jewish outsiders".

An interesting test will now be to record how many prosecutions are brought and the verdicts thereon involving persons other than Jews in the so-called upper echelons of the British business and financial community. Yours faithfully.

A. A. SELLER. Portman Gate, Flat 4. 106 Lisson Grove, NW1. September 1

little valued by those who pay for it: it comes 100 cheap.

From Dr A. H. Seville

and that the use of staff time is consistent with this. An alternative interpretation however, could be that university staff, while properly paid for the tribute their research effort "... could explain why recruitment of stall at current salary levels is possible at all - the opportunity for research is greatly valued by

Attempts by universities to achieve cost savings by reducing their basic research are futile.

either driving academic salaries up to the market levels paid by teaching-only institutions, such as the private business colleges and law schools, or driving down the quality of staff. The dangers of transferring basic research funding as is

widely predicted, from the UFC to the research councils should also be noted. Without a genuine contractual expectation that each member of siaff can have time for was research, the public benefits a poor of research affort below parket rate would be lost

Yours faithfully ADRIAN SEVILLE (Academic Registrar) City University. August 28.

with the EC principles, and open

to challenge by any male non-householder aged between 60 and

65 on the appropriate April I Any

such interested party might wish

to be advised that it is not too late

to apply for this extra relief, and that he has an initial right of appeal to his local council's

From Mr John Zebedee states that the Court of Appeal has found social security provisions

tional rehelf. At present, 2003 relief for non-householders is atlowable in England to women In Scotland, the same rules apply with the substitution of the date

This too seems incompatible

community charge benefit review board. These semi-independent boards, composed of local councillors, had transitional relief appeals added to their duties at the ast minute. Such appeals (muld of an interior unnecessary of the coverage on were to quickly strange our collector

the our of the unequality treated men concerned Yours faithfully. JOHN ZEBEDEE, 87 Josephine Court. Southcote Road. Reading, Berkshire.

Aid to Romania From Mr George Ross

Sir. Your leading article. "Unfinished business" (August 29), misses the point. The sine-qua-

non condition for the muchneeded Western help to Romania should not be that the lliescu administration become better be-haved, but that they go. Helping a government consisting of recycled communist nomenklatura of yesterday would be appalling.
The sham elections that con-

firmed them in power can fool no one. True freedom and democracy will not flourish in Romania for as long as those tainted by collaboration with the former regime remain in power Yours faithfully.

GEORGE ROSS. Flat 2, 7 Mornington Avenue, W14,

Source of the pouch From Professor Roy MacGregor-Hastic

Sir. On my European Iravels this summer. I have been intrigued to see thousands of young people (it is often difficult to distinguish between the sexes) wearing a pouch, attached to a belt, in which

they keep their valuables. I have stopped several of them in the streets of London, Paris, and Barcelona and they do not seem to know that this useful accessory was invented in my native country. Scotland, and is called a sporran. Perhaps you would let your young readers

know this. More attractive versions than those made in Korea. Taiwan and Hong Kong may be found in good shops in Glasgow and Perth and. for all I know, in advocates' boutiques in Edinburgh.

Yours etc.. ROY MacGREGOR-HASTIE. Osaka Gakuin University. Osaka, Japan.



COURT CIRCULAR

Today's royal engagement

BALMORAL CASTLE September 3: By command of The Queen, the Baroness Blatch (Baroness io Waiting) was. The Duke of Kent will visit the Farnhorough International Aerospace exhibition and flying display at the Royal Aerospace Establishment at 10.15; and, accompanied by the Duchess of present at Heathrow Airport, Londoo this morning upon the departure of The King of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and bade farewell to His Maj-Kent, will attend a recital by Alfred Brendel at Middle Tem-ple Hall at 7.25 in aid of Musie in Country Churches. esty oo behalf of Her Majesty.

Forthcoming marriages

Mr W.N. Marshall
and Miss Z.J. Wright
The engagement is announced
between William Nikolas, only
soo of Mr and Mrs W.E.
Marshall, of Bickley, Keot, and
Zena Jane, only daughter of Mr
and Mrs D. Wright, of Bearsted,
Kent. Mr S.D. Cammins and Miss K. Brennand The engagement is anoounced between Simon, soo of Mr and Mrs David Cummins, of Farley, Salisbury, ood Katharine, daughter of Mr Sean Brennand and Mrs Douglas Wilmer, of Woodbridge, Suffolk.

Mr I.G. Darling and Mrs T.M.B. Ross The engagement is announced The engagement is anounced between lan, younger son of Mr William Darling, CBE, and Mrs Darling, of Cleadon Village, Tyne and Wear, and Tessa, only daughter of the late Mrs Jean Thompson, of Knowle, Warnigkshire

Mr R.D.A. Kelly Mr R.D.A. Kelly and Miss C.J.B. Meinertzingen The engagement is announced between Diarmaid, soo of Mr Edward Kelly and Mrs George Ramsay, and Candida, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Peter Meinertzhagen.

On August 16, Lord Joseph and Mrs Yolonda Sheriff, of

Connecticut, were quietly married in Alnwick.

The Hon Seymour Fortescue and Miss J.A. Simon The marriage took place quietly in London, on August 23, of Seymour Fortescue and Jennifer

and Miss M.H. Allcott
The marriage took place oo
September I, at Holy Trinity
Church, Bosham, West Sussex,
between Dr Jonathan Roger
Field, eldest soo of the late Dr
Roger Field and of Mrs Field,
and Miss Margaret Hellen
Allcott, youngest daughter of Mr
and Mrs William Allcott.
The service was followed by a

The service was followed by a reception at Goodwood House,

Sussex. The couple have left for a motoring holiday on the continent to be followed by yachting in the Carihbean Sea.

Zimbabwe. The Rev Frank Johnston officiated.

marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Belinda Neale

and Miss Verity Nicholson, Elizabeth and Robert Micklem.

Mr Michael Smith was best

A reception was held at th

Birthdays today

las Jackson, organist, 56; Mr

H.J. Joel, racehorse hreeder, 96

Lord Sandhurst, 70; Mr Torr Wotson, goifer, 41.

HM Government
The Secretary of State for De-

feoce and Mrs King and the Secretary of State for Trade and

lodustry received the guests at o reception giveo by Her Majesty's Government yes-terday at Lancaster House on the occasioo of Farnborough

Les Ambassadeurs

Reception

The bride, who was given in

Mr P.J. Grant

Dr J.R. Field and Miss M.H. Allcett

Marriages

Lord Joseph and Mrs Y. Sheriff

Appointments in the Forces

Mr G. Roberts and Miss L.C. Redst

Mr C. Steiner

and Miss A.K. Morgan

The engagement is announced between Gary, eldest son of Mr

and Mrs Afon Roberts, of Holyheod, Aoglescy, aod

Louise, second daughter of Mr and Mrs David Redston, of Horsham, Sussex.

The engagement is announced between Chet, soo of Mrs R.

Steiger, of Newtown, Connecti

cut, USA, and Mr D. Steiner, of

Boston, Mass, USA, and Amelia Kate, daughter of Mr and Mrs James R. Morgan, of Kineton, Warwickshire.

Royal Navy CAPTAIN: C.H.J. Daykin - MOD DNLP 28,9.90. COMMANDER: E.H. Festi Warrior 8.1.91.

Major General J. F. W. Wilsey to be Geoeral Officer Commanding and Director, Military Operations, Northern Ireland, in the rank of Lieuteo-ant General, from 6 August 1990, io succession to Lieuten-ant General Sir John Waters, Major General M. J. Wilkes to be Commander, United King-dom Field Army and Inspector General Territorial Army, in the rank of Lieutenant General, from 13 August, 1990, in succes-sion to Lieutenant General Sir David Ramsbotham.

Brigadier R. A. Smith to be Commander, Isl Armoured Di-vision, in the rank of Major General, from 29 October 1990, io succession to Major General R. N. Wheeler.

and Miss S. Nicholson The marriage took place oo Saturday, at St Mary's Church, COLONEL: A J Dobson - To be Svi Attache Baghdad, 3.9.90. Aunche Bagndad, 3.9.90.

LIEUTENANT COLONELS: M G C
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(O'Seus), 6.9.90: C J Pullen REME:
To be Prof. Off: Britt Apples (ISA) Addington, Buckingham, of Mr Paul John Grant, son of Mr and Mrs John Grant, of Sydney, Australia, to Miss Sally Nicholson, daughter of Mr Jobo H. C. Nicholson, of Adstockfields, Buckingham, and Mrs Gavio Langham, of D MODET AS A CANT.
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TO be Proj. Off Bril Apps (U.S.
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AFNORTH, 3.9.90: T P Clarke R
TO MOD, 3.9.90: P W Harper RC
TO ASMT. 17.9.90.

COLONELS: J A Cook, late RAPC.

Royal Air Force home of the bride and the GROUP CAPTAIN: R J Shepherd -PMRAF Hospital Halton: J T Rogerson To RAF Hospital Wester K S Prior - To MOD. honeymoon will be speot NODETSON TO NAT PROSPETS WESTERN TO TO NAT PROSPETS TO PART A PROBLEM TO HOLD TO RAF ARROTH: A J R Banks - TO HO 12 GD: R Lythaby - TO HO RAF Rudioe Manor: C W Ness - TO HOSTC: A C Willesbruch - TO OASC Blegun HBI: A R C Winkles - TO RAFSC Bracknell: O P Colvell - TO MOD CVE J K L Babrari - TO RAF Lossestrouti: R A Fornester - TO MOD AFD: R M S COOK - TO HO AFCENT: A M Davis - TO RAF Leening: P R Ray - TO HO SOAF 79.90: C C Darlarn - TO RAFSC Bracknell: J Barker - TO DOAE W Byteet Miss Joan Aiken, novelist, 66; Sir Hubert Benoett, architect, 81: Miss Ann Burdus, marketing and advertising executive, 57; Sir Joho Charnley, consultant in advanced technology, 68; Lord Dormer, 76; Mrs Aon Dummett, former director. Dummett, former director, Ruocymede Trust, 60; Mr De-

nis Howell, MP, 67; Sir Nicho-**Anniversaries**

BIRTHS: Francis René, Vi H.J. Joel, racehorse hreeder, 96; Mr Bill Kenwright, theatrical impresario, 45; Mr Dinsdale Laoden, actor, 58; Air Chief Marshal Sir David Lee, 78; Mr Justice Mars-Jones, 75; Mrs Elizabeth Peacock, MP, 53; comte de Chateaubriand, poli-tician and writer, Saint Malo, 1768; Anion Bruckner, composer, Ansfelden, Austria, 1824; Darius Mühaud, composer, Aix-eo-Provence, 1892; Richard Wright, novelist, Natchez, Mississippi, 1908.

DEATHS: Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester, favourite of Elizabeth 1, Cornbury, Oxfordshire, 1588: Charles Townsbeod. statesman, London 1767; Jame Wyatt, architect, Marlborough Wiltshire, 1813: Edvard Grieg, composer, Bergen, Norway, 1907; Albert Schweitzer, missionary, physician, philos-opher aod musician, Nobel Peace laureate 1952, Lam-barèné, Gabon, 1965.

Mr Geoffrey Green

Club Les Ambassadeurs Club holidays are over aod, despite surrounding building works, we are open.

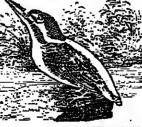
A memorial service for Mr Geoffrey Green will be held on Thursday. September 6, at St Bride's, Fleet Street, at 1000n.

Nature notes

SECOND-brood families of kingfishers are still together: their shrill whistles ring along the river banks and through the reed beds. But they will soon take up their solitary winter lives, with father, mother and this year's young all defending their own territories. Generally they stay close to the water, but when moving from one fishing-place to another they will skim like a blue light across fields and

Young great crested grebes are also sull clinging to their parents, piping loudly for food. lo common tern colonies, a few chicks remain on the ground with the adults feeding them. but most of the other terms have gone and are taking an un-burned course towards sonthern

Africa. Late flowers include water chickweed, with its delicate white stars, and the green female cones of the wild hop, winding itself round other tall flowers and through hedges. The green



is the new Head of Art. Mr M.A.
Bartlett joins the staff to teach
Geography. Mr J.R. Orme will
be the new Head of Geography.
The OC Rugger Matches will
take place on Saturday. September 8. The Salisbury House
Gaudy will be at noon on
Saturday, September 15. There
will be a Gala Concert given by
Julian Lloyd Webber at 8.00 pm
on Saturday, October 6. Haifterm will be from October 20 to
28. The Old Canfordian Dinner seed-pods of Himalayan balsan are ready to explode and scatter their fruit at a touch; on great hairy willow-herb the match-like pods are breaking to produce a spume of feathery white

Red admiral butterflies sit on warm fences, opening and clos-ing their wings; emperor dragon-flies chase insects, including smaller dragonflies, along the margins of ponds.

OBITUARIES

MARCUS CUNLIFFE



Marcus Cunliffe, professor, author and observer of all matters American, died aged 68 of leukaemia in Washington on September 2. He was born on July 5, 1922.

THE book which first brought Marcus Cunliffe to prom-inence was a 3s 6d Penguin called The Literature of the United States. He wrote it when he had just turned 30 and was a lecturer in American studies at Manchester University. Some criticised it for ignoring the contribution made by hlack American writers. But The Times Literary Supplement, in a review which extended over eight columns, ended by saying that "we can no longer exclaim with Matthew Arnold: 'We are all contributors to one great lit-

erature - English literature'." Cunliffe had established himself with his first major published work, which ran into a number of subsequent editions, and he became at once an American expert. The Literature of the United States may have been basically a popular work but it also became a textbook.

After graduating from Oriel College, Oxford, Marcus Cunliffe went for two years to Fellow. The next 16 years he lived in slightly shabby com-

spent at Manchester University as lecturer and senior lecturer in American studies have become ill with leukaeand as Professor of American History and Institutions. He was primarily an historian, but The Literature of the United States to some extent changed the focus of his In 1965 he moved to the

University of Sussex, where he joined as Professor of the School of English and American Studies, which had been recently founded by David Daiches. With his first wife, Mitzi, a distinguished American sculptress, he lived in great style in Lewes Crescent, Brighton, where he dispensed hospitality on a scale rarely seen since in academic circles. He seemed to know everyone in town and gown as well as many visiting Americans. After they had parted he married a talented young journalist, Lesley Hume, and moved to Clifton Terrace, an equally attractive though less palatial house full of pleasant possessions like the Victorian model of a butcher's shop to which he was much attached.

Later he left England for good and moved to Washington, DC, where he moved to Georgetown with his third Yale as a Commonwealth wife, an historian. There he Brighton and Washington.

fort, happy and hospitable to the last. He was known to mia some months ago but his sudden death took many of his friends, at least in England, by surprise.

Marcus Cunliffe was a true mid-Atlantic man. It would be hard to say if he was more English than eastern American. In person he was tall and good looking with a great personal charm, which fluttered many of the female hearts among students and members of the faculties around him. He was always extremely relaxed, almost in the manner of David Gower.

He was a very hard worker, as the list of his publications shows. Prominent among these is his biography of George Washington (1958) and his volumes on American literature. As a scholar he was much respected, despite the fact that he was essentially a populariser of the best kind. His prose style, like his personal style, was unpretentious. lucid and fresh. He was a man in whom there was no guile and consequently was wholly popular with his colleagues and pupils and with a huse circle of non academic acquaintances in London, His only weakness, if it can

be so described, as compared with the university supermen of his day, like his Sussex vicechancellor and friend Asa Briggs, was perhaps an unwillingness to take part in much administration but this

may have been a sign of strength. A career in administration can lead to the loss of much good creative work. He was not perhaps a great wit, but he had a wonderful sense of humour. He was a very good listener and brought out the best in others' conversation. He particularly enjoyed the minor absurdities of life and the arts.

There is no fixed retirement age in American universities and Marcus Cunliffe, had not death prevented it, could have stayed at work for many years to come and done great things. The wives of his three

marriages all survive him as do the three children of his first marriage, two living in America and one in England. A Festschrift edited by Brian

Halden-Reid and John White, American Studies, Essays in Honour of Marcus Cunliffe, has been in preparation for some time and is expected to. be published by Macmillan in November. The preface is by

EDWIN O. REISCHAUER

Edwin O. Reischauer, scholar and discerning information. of Japanese history and literature and US ambassador to suspicious of the outside erature and US ambassador to Japan from 1961 to 1966, died aged 79 in San Diego, Califor-nia, on September 1. He was born on October 15, 1910.

FEW men in modern times have striven so hard to explain the enigma Japan presents to the occidental observer as Edwin O. Reischaner. No one has been so well equipped by education and temperament as he was. Through his many books on Japan and the Far East he made a fundamental contribution to western understanding of the subject. His term as America's ambassador in Tokyo was so popular that Japan came close to mourning his departure as a national loss.

Edwin Oldfather Reisch-American missionary parents. From Oberlin College. Ohio, he went to Harvard and before the war travelled on a Harvard-Yenching Institute fellowship to Paris, Korea, Japan and China. While in Korea he and another American scholar, George M. McCone, devised the system still widely used for transliterating written Korean into the Roman alphabet.

After taking his PhD Reischauer became an instructor at Harvard and during the war he worked in military intelligence. In the aftermath of war he was closely involved in the United States's exertions to create a stable future for Japan, as chairman of the Japan-Korea secretariat and as a special assistant to the office of Far Eastern affairs at the state department. In 1948-49 he was a member of the cultural and scientific mission to Tokyo. In the meantime he had been teaching Far Eastern languages at Harvard, and was from 1956 to 1961 director of the Harvard-Yenching In-stitute. He had already written prolifically on subjects rang-ing from United States policy with regard to the Far East to early Japanese literature on

which, with Joseph Yamagiwa, he had published a collection of translations. With John K. Fambank, another Harvard man and an authority on China, he formed a team which came to be regarded as supreme in the field of Fac Eastern studies. Their joint book East Asia: The Great Tradition (1961) was the first of two volumes of which the second, East Asia: The Modern Transformation (with additional chapters by Albert M. Craig), appeared at the end of Reischauer's stint peer in its field.

pointment of Keischauer ambassador to Japan in 1961 flew in the face of an American tendency (behind which the president threw himself wholeheartedly) to professionalise diplomatic representation at that time. But the choice proved to be an inspired one. Reischauer dem- married Haru Matsukata, an onstrated that even in an age of instant communication between heads of government, the envoy had a valuable role in supplying accurate survive him.

world Reischauer came to be a symbol of his nation in a way ambassadors by and large no longer are. Through his indefatigable travels about the country, and by his establishing working relationships with both governing and opposition parties, he became known and respected to an extraordinary degree. He had come to Japan in the turbulent aftermath of protests against the US-Japanese security treaty. There was widespread Japanese distrust and criticism of American involvement in Vietnam, and the new envoy faced genuine and deep incomprehension of US policy from his host country. He reacted robustly to these Japa-nese positions, challenging his auer was born in Tokyo of hosts to face the world around them.

The esteem in which Reischaner was held was strikingly demonstrated in March 1964 when he was attacked by a mentally deranged youth in Tokyo and received a dangerous stab wound in the thigh. Mr Ikeda, the Japanese prime minister, formally apologised to President Johnson in what was the first live television broadcast from Japan to America, while the Japanese minister of state for home affairs resigned claiming the attack was his responsibility. From his hospital bed Reischauer begged the Japa-nese not to blame themselves for the attack, reminding



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them, in the aftermath of Kennedy's murder four months before, that "there are unfortunately unbalanced people all over the world." There were those in the United States who felt Reischauer's cultural identification with the host country had been, in the end, detrimental to America's commercial and political position. Certainly when he went back to writing and teaching in 1966 he left Japan with a sense as envoy in Japan. The work of forboding that it might was regarded as being without never again find such depth of peer in its field. understanding as it had en-President Kennedy's joyed during his five ears. After his return to the United States Reischauer continued to write about Japan in such books as the recent The Japanese Today: Change and Continuity.

Adrienne Darnton, the mother of his three children, died in 1955 and in 1956 he American educated Japanese girl whose grandfather had been a Japanese prime minister. She and his children

EDMUND NORTH

Edmund North, Hollywood (1934) and he went on to voices. He was president of North's anti-war sentiments screenwriter who shared an contribute to over 30 films, the screen division in the mid-were interwoven in his screen-Academy Award for the 1970 film Patton, has died aged 79 Patton, for which he won an in St John's Medical Center, Academy Award, The Day the Santa Monica, California. He Earth Stood Still, the 1951 was born in New York on science fiction film that be-March 12, 1911.

EDMUND North came from

becomes Director of Activities.

and the Carol Services oo

Entrance Scholarships for the

James Collins. Caristopher Cook.
Roger Davy, Philippa Green. Mark
Mangun, and Caroline Tugwell (Brighton College under School). Craiston College under School). Craiston College under School). Craiston College under School.
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Waisteadel Viciaria Baines (Hordie
Housel, Adam Sandercock / Lichtfield
Cuthedrai School). Timothy Carter
(Mowden) and Hannah Williams CR
Tevess's Convent.

Christmas Term starts today. Matthew Kind will be Head of

School and William Kefford will

be Captain of Rugger. Mr R.S. Raumano is the oew Housemaster of School House and Mr D.A. Dodwell is the new

Housemaster of Monteacute House, Mr A.F.U. Powell joins

the school as the new Head of Biology and Mr J.C. Cockburn is the new Head of Art. Mr M.A.

28. The Old Canfordian Dunner

will take place on Saturday, November 3. The School's

Christmas Coocert will be given

in Poole Arts Centre on Sunday,

December 2, and there will be performances of Noises Off, by

Brighton Callege

Rest know came a prototype for the genre, and Sink the Bismarck!

He was also highly active in a theatrical family. His father the Writers' Guild, of which Military Academy, Indiana, who've seen the picture will was an actor who also pro- he was a member for 50 years. and after two years at Stanford duced pictures, and his son Generally his was a voice of University, and a brief resstarted scriptwriting in his moderation and he was often idence in Paris, North picture as well." early twenties. His first credit looked upon as the mediator achieved early success in 1934 was for One Night of Love to bring together divisive with One Night of Love.

than 40 guild committees.

alien's warnings to Earth in North spent his first five The Day the Earth Stood Still. years of childhood travelling They were there even in in vaudeville with his parents. Patton, and when be accepted Robert (Bobbie) North and the award for the script he Stella Maury. He began writ- wrote with Francis Ford ing plays as a pupil at Colver Coppola he said: "I hope those agree with me that it is not only a war picture, but a peace Edmund North is survived

by his wife and two daughters.

School announcements

Michael Frayn, oo December 4, 5 and 6. The Carol Service will Michaelmas Term begins today. Mr G.M. Greeo becomes Housemaster of Lecoofield in place of Mr S.G.R. Smith, who take place in Wimborne Minster on Friday, December 7, the last day of term.

The Oration Quarter starts

Dylan James is Head of School.
The new Day Girls' House
(Williams) will be opened by
ITN newcaster, Carol Barnes, today. T.A. Bristowe is Head of School, Lucy Tomlinsoo is Head Girl. E.J. Rees is Captain on September 29. Open Day is on October 20, when the Guest of Honour will be Captain Eric Melrose Brown. The Lower of Football. The sixth Sir Robert or Pottoail. The sixth Str Robert Birley Memorial Lecture will be delivered by Mr Nigel Nicolsoo on Wednesday. September 12. The Charterhouse Poetry Festi-val will be beld from September 13-16. Exeat is from October 19 to October 28. The Founder's Day Pinner in London will be School Play Laughter in the Dark will be on November 22 and 23, and the Christmas Concert is on November 30. The Old Brightonian Associ-autoo Dinner is on December 1 Day Dioner in London will be on Wedoesday, December 12. The Quarter ends oo Wednesday, December 12. new year hove been awarded to:

Michaelmas Term at Chigwell School starts today, Tuesday, September 4, and ends on December 14. Mr P.W. Marchani takes up his appointment as Head of Sixth Form. Mr P.I. Coeks becomes

Mr P.I. Coeks becomes Housemaster of Swallow's. The Head of School is Matthew Perdeaux (Peno's) and the Captain of Soccer is Andrew Dellow (Caswalls').

The School Play, Marlowe's Dr Faustus, will be performed oo November 22 to 24, and the Michaelmas Coocert on December 6 and 7. The Open Meeting for parents of prospective pupils below the Sixth Form will be on Saturday, October 13 and for Sixth Formers on Thursday, October Formers on Thursday, October

Clifton College

The Michaelmas Term begins today. Mr Hugh Monro suc-ceeds Mr Stuart Andrews as Headmaster. Matthew Cottrell (Watsoo's House) is Head of School and Richard Moffai (School House) Second Head of School. Daniel Fox (North Town) is Captaio of the XV.

Cymbeline, directed by Mr
Brian Worthington, will be performed from November 7 to 10. The Choral Society will perform Faure's Requiem and Haydn's Nelson Mass io Clifton Cothedral on Tuesday, November 27. The Adveot Carol Service is on Sunday, December 2, the Christmas Carol Service on Sunday, December 9. The exeat is from Saturday, October 20, 10 Sunday, October 28, and term ends on Wednesday, December 12. Lavant House, Chicken Lavant House, Chicken

Michaelmas Term begins on Wedoesday, September 5.
Thomas Gould is Head Boy and
Michael White, Captain of
Rugby Fontball. Important dates are: September 8: Cen-tenary Old Exonian Dinner and Weekend: October 18: Speech Day - Speaker, Mr Trevor Macdonald: November 27 to December 2: School Musica Meivyn Bragg and Howard Goodall's The Hired Man; December 13 and 14: Christmas Concerts. Term eods oo December 19.

Hwstpierpoint College The Michaelmas term starts today. Head of School is Nigel Beacham and Prefect of Hall, Andrew Muddiman. The Rev G.V.A. Buss takes over Star House and retires as chaplaio in January when he is succeeded by the Rev Michael Clarke. Mr J. Arkell joins the music depart-ment and Mr M. May the CDT department. Mr D.J. Hughes takes a sabbatical term on his retirement from Martlet House where he is succeeded by Mr

C.W. Gray.

The Shakespeare Society will present Much Ado About Nothing on November 8, 9, and 10.

St Etheldreda (Old Boys' Day) is oo Sunday, October 14. The Adveol Procession is on Sno-day, November 25, and "Carols for All" oo Sunday, December 2. The half-term holiday is from Thursday, October 18 to Sunday, October 28, and term ends with Carol Services for both Senior and Junior Schools on Setudiay, December 2. Saturday, December 8.

John Lyon School, Harrow Term begins today and ends Friday, December 14. Open Moraing will be on Saturday, November 3. The School Play will be Oliver! on December in the Boyd Campbell Hall.

Kext College, Canterbury The Autumn Term begins today. Elizabeth Dilnott is Head Girl and Richard Walker, Head Boy. The Old Canterburians' Reunion is on November 10. Term ends with the Carol Service in the Cathedral on Saturday, December

Lavant Honse, Chichester,

Autumn Term, starts today with Jacqueline Senior as Head Girl. The School Play is on November 10, and the Carol Service will be held on December 13. Leeds Grammar School Michaelmas Term commences

on September 5, with Max Williamson as Head of School. The second phase of the new science wing is in course of construction. Open Day is Saturday, October 6. The Old Leodiensian Association's Leeds Dinner is on October 5, and the London Dinner on March 15.

Malvern Girls' College The Autumn Term begins at Malvern Giris' College on September 4, and ends on December 15. Half term will be December 15. Half term will be from October 19 to 28. The main events of the term are as follows: Confirmation Service, taken by the Bishop of Dudley, October 6; Sixth Form drama production September 21/22; the Annual Charity Pashion Show on October 13; Sponsored Walk in aid of Across Trust, October 14; the Piano Competition Prize Winners' Concert on November 4: Sixth Form on November 4; Sixth Form Scholarship examinations will be held on November 5/6; the, end of term Carol Service takes place in Malvern Prior on December 14.

The Michaelmas Term at Marlborough College begins today,
Mr R.B. Pick succeeds Mr T.D.
Holgate as Housemaster of
Turner House, following the
latter's appointment to be
Master of Warminster School.
Mr J.J. McNamara joins as
Head of Drama and Mr LG.
Crabbe as Head of Keyboard
Studies. Other new members of
Common Room are Mr P.
Adams (Design Technology),
Mrs C.A. Carrier (Spanish), Miss
C.L. Cox (University of Virginia
Fellow), Dr D.M. Vere (Geography), Mr P.R. Warnes (Biology),
Miss Hu Man (Chinese
Assistant) and Mr H. Soler
(French assistant). Toby Barnes-

The Michaelmas Term at Marl-

Marlborough College

Captain of School and Julia Skinner (Elmhurst) Captain of Girls' Hockey. Reuoioo Day, for Old Mariburians at the College

(French assistant). Toby Barnes-Taylor (B1) is Senior Prefect and

between 1940 and 1949, is Royal Grammar School, October 6 and the Mariburian Worcester Club Annual Dinner is on November 7. The school play will be Aristophanes' The Frogs, on November 9, 10 and 11. The Scholarship examinations for boys and girls wishing to enter the Sixth Form in September 1991 will be on November 19 and 20, and the closing date for entries is October 1. Excal is from October 20 to 28, and term ends on Saturday, December 8.

Meira House School.

Christmas Term at Moira House begins today and ends on Wednesday, December 12. Katherine Bell and Melanie Katherine Beil and Mesame Soh-Banwell continue as School Knights. The Ingham Sixth Form Scholarship examination will be held on Saturday, September 22. Full details are ovailable from the Headmaster's Secretary.
The annual Stratford

expedition takes place between Friday, September 28 and Sunday, September 30. The school will hold a 24-hour sponsored swim on Saturday, November 3 and Sunday, November 4 to support the work of an old girl at the Matumain Centre for support the work of an old girl at the Matumaini Centre for the Handicapped in Kenya. The Senior School drama production of Oliver will take place on Thursday, November 29, Friday, November 30 and Saturday, December 1. The Service of Nine Lessons and Carols will be field on Sunday. be held on Sunday, December 9.

Reed's School, Cobbam

Autumo Term at Reed's School began on Monday, September 3. Daniel Faulkner is Captain of School, Dominic Andronicou, Vice-Captain and Captain of Rugby Football. The new theatre will be opened on September 8, by Miss Hannah Gordon, who will also launch the Development Annell Tothe Development Appeal, Tothe Development Appeal, To-wards 2000, for a new swim-ming pool complex. Speech Day is on September 22, when Dr Arthur Hoarnden will be Visitor of the Day. The Annual Foooda-tion Appeal will be launched at a tion Appeal will be launched at a reception and lunch at Grocers' Hall on Thursday. September 27, under the Presidency of Mr George Nissen, CBE. The Carol Service will be held in Guildford Cathedral on Service. Cathedral, on Sunday, December 9. Term ends on Saturday. December 15.

Worcester

Michaelmas Term begins today for the Royal Grammar School's 700th Anniversary Year. Speech Day will be Friday, December 14, when the Guest of Honour will be the Speaker, the Right Hon Bernard Weatherill, MP. Many events have been arranged throughout the year-and former pupils who have not received details should contact the Headmaster at the School. A register of Old Boys is being

The Royal School, Bath

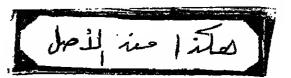
Autumn Term begins at The Royal School on Wednesday, September 5. Mrs. Emma McKendrick has been appointed First Deputy Head. Suzy Ratcliffe is Head of School-and Sch and Samantha Bunn is Deputy Head of School Prize Giving. will take place on Friday, Octo-ber 19; the prizes will be presented by the Right Hon presented by the Right Hon Chris Patten, MP, Secretary of State for the Environment. Term will end with the second Carol Service on Sunday,

Warwick School

Term begins on Wednesday.
September 5. The Rev T. Huw
Mordecai, OW, has taken up his
appointment as Chaplain. The
Head of School is Simon Hucker. Speech Day is on Thursday, October 11, when the Guest of Honour will be Herbert Walden Esq. CBE. The Old Warwickian Weekend will be held on December 8 and 9.

Westminster Cathedral Choir School

Michaelmas Term begins today with the full complement of ninety boys, including nine probationers. The choristers, who returned from their short tour to Spain yesterday, will be singing Britten's War Regulem with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at the Promenade Concert on September 14.
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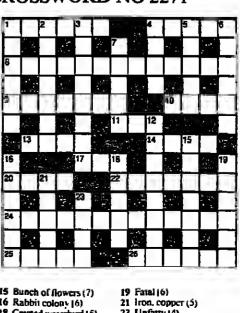
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The day after the declaration of war with Germany, The Times broke the news soberty with a two-column heading. The paper abounded in exhortations, instructions and advice; but squeezed between a report of the Archbishop of Canter bury's sermon on "a grave moral issue" and a look at the London shops, where one store was showing autumn fashions "suitable for emergency work for those not in uniform", room was found for this tranquillizing article.

LESSER SPOTTED WOODPECKERS

Of the three species of woodpeckers resident in these islands, the lesser spotted or barred is the most furtive and least often noticed, because of its small size (no larger than a sparrow) and its habit of spending its time in the tops of tall trees in woodlands. Its nesting hole is usually high above the ground, sometimes so high as 35ft to 40ft, therefore not easily caught sight of. The excitement of the writer can therefore be imagined when on April 20 he saw a male lesser spotted woodpecker excavating a hole in the stump of an old tree in the demson orchard only 12ft from the ground and within 100 yards of the house! A small unused chicken house was immediately pulled up to within 16ft of the tree and in this rather eramped

form of "hide" many intensely

interesting moments were spent

watching the woodpeckers excavat-

ing, drumming, courting and feeding their young.
The late T.A. Coward in his "Birds of the British Isles," states that though both birds help to incubate it is not certain that the male lesser spotted woodpecker assists in preparing the hole. Here it was the male who began the excavation, and until the nesting hole was and been hurried off by their perents completed worked with great vigour, to the woods.

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Henry Scott Holland 1847. ON THIS DAY 1939

often taking longer shifts then the On the much discussed subject of drumming and how it is done the writer has no hesitation whatever in stating that it is entirely mechanical, and he is sure that had any defendant of the "vocal" theory been present be would have been completely con-verted. The male bird frequently "drammed" within five yards of the "hide", and was watched through

field glasses.

It has also been suggested that the sound is caused by a quick semi-rotary movement of the head and beak, but the writer could obtain no evidence of this. Only the male bird drummed, in fact his personelity seemed completely to dominate that of his partner. She being very shy and retiring, no sound was heard from her until after the young were hatched, when she would keep up a long, scolding note on the approach of

danger.

The male frequently uttered the loud call note, "keek, keek, ke kestrel. When uttering this call he would raise himself to his full height and throw his head well back. The male had a very pretty trait of hovering over the female in the manner of a humming bird over a The birds took 18 days to complete the nesting hole to their satisfaction.

All drumming ceased as soon as incubation began, and complete silence reigned. The male took his full share in incubation, each bird remaining on the nest for about 40 minutes at a time. The period of incubation lested 15 or 16 days. The end of this vigil was rather disappointing it had been hoped that it would have been possible to catch a climpse of the youngsters before they finally left the nest and to ascertain their number, but they refused to

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rural Wales is to be

A main objective is to

increase the amount of private

investment in new industries,

which should create jobs that

do not rely on purely local

markets but draw in revenue

Mr Davies and his col-

leagues realise that through

the Nineties, the prosperity of

mid-Wales will be determined

to a great degree by the success

of the UK economy. The

single European market and

the Channel tunnel will also

play an important part, but

the board is aware that there is

from outside the region.

A welcome in the hillside

istorians have to look back almost 200 years to 1797 for the date when the footsteps of foreign invaders were last heard on Welsh soil. Now a battle is being fought on the home from that will undoubtedly have farreaching consequences for the half a million people who populate the central heartlands of the principality.

There is no invader to fear, but the economy of rural Wales has to be improved to secure it a good future by stemming the flow of young people who tend to pack up and move away. For instance, 68 per cent of the people who left Dyfed in 1988 were in the

16 to 44 age group. Since 1977 the Development Board for Rural Wales has won a reputation for success in fighting its regional baules by creating more than 12,000 much-needed jobs.

the board's efforts reach a task of building new busistage where every fortnight it now completes a factory creating 15 job opportunities have formed the farming laband every week makes grants our force and use the governand loans worth more than £30,000 available to

Those statistics could be interpreted as fulfilling its role of stimulating economic

ployment. But the board has set itself a challenge for the decade: an ambitious strategy document that details its aims for the Nineties.

The strategy faces fundamental concerns such as the shortage of housing and the gradual decline in jobs and income levels in agriculture.

GROWTH AREAS

● The six growth areas designated by the Development Board for Rural Wales are Aberystwyth, Ffestiniog Valley, Brecon, Central Powys, Newtown and Welshoool. Welshpool.

Welshpool.

Cardigan, Lampeter,
Bala, Dolgallau, Tywyn, Hayon-Wye, Ystradgynlais,
Knighton, Presteigne,
Llanidloes, Llamyllin and
Machynlieth have been designated "special towna".

The past decade has seen The board has set itself the nesses to provide work for those who might previously ment's new flexi-ownership initiative to provide housing to encourage the young to stay in Wales.

Glyn Davies, the board's a danger they could increase chairman, says: "As we pursue regional imbalance. A strong activity and promoting em- the primary objective of regional policy is vital.

people through increased economic activity in the Nineties. our high standards of design and landscape enhancement ingly beautiful part of the United Kingdom, a factor that will assume increased importance throughout the develop-In the next three years at least, the investment plans of

Leading the fight: Glyn Davies on his farm in Welshpool

The board, therefore, rural development agency to promote the idea that Wales means business. It is also working behind the scenes to ensure the remoteness that is part of the charm of rural Wales does not also prove to be one of its main drawbacks. The board is, therefore, working with British Telecom in an attempt to ensure improvement to the region's telecommunications.

The board has pinpointed advocates the formation of a six growth areas where it will focus investment and has earmarked £1.3 million this year for 12 towns and their surrounding districts which should see a rapid boost towards a self sustaining

economy.

If the strategy works, then
many a tearful farewell will not have to be endured. More youngsters will be able to set their sights on a future in the land where they were born.

farmers are overcoming their years of bitter harvest he two men tramping through the rugged Welsh terrain could not

have been more different. Beneath a thick woolien umper, the slim farmer appeared to have a hard, muscled body, from long hours of working the land. The politician wore the serious look of a man used to wresting with national problems. His Barbour failed to hide the

How Welsh

smart city suit beneath. But David Hunt, the new Welsh Secretary, was not there to impress onlookers with his rural fashion sense; he was there to learn. "I want to see for myself," he said.

Mr Hunt was visiting Caerwyn Roberts on his farm at Harlech in north Wales, the first in a series of farm visits, to learn at first hand about the problems third generation

farmers are facing.
Farmers like Mr Roberts believe their time will not be wasted in a land where agriculture is said to be twice as important to the economy as it is in the rest of Britain. More. than 82 per cent of Wales is devoted to agriculture and some 60,000 people are employed in the industry.

However, the 30,231 farms in Wales have recently gathered in a harvest of problems. The introduction of milk quotas in 1984 resulted in massive upheavals, mainly in Dyfed where the Welsh dairy industry is concentrated.

Then the Chernobyl disaster sent a radioactive cloud over north Wales which poured poisoned rain over sheep and cattle. Restrictions on the sale of lamb are still in force in some areas.

Beef farmers have also had difficulties. Sales of red meat (BSE) became a public concern sales have tumbled further.

To help farmers market The lamb enterprise is a ramblers.



Farm friends: David Hunt (right) and Caerwya Roberts

marketing organisation, established by farmers themselves, while the government-backed food initiative has five executives based in the region to work with producers.

Rural Wales mainly com-prises family farms of about 100 acres and, instead of becoming entrenched and inward lonking, these families have been falling gradually for are using enterprise and skill some time, and since bovine to tackle financial problems. spongiform encephalopathy Many have diversified, with organic farming expanding and subsidiary industries tak-

ing hold. their products, two organ-restaurateurs, using their own isations, the Welsh Food Ini- produce in the kitchens; othtiative and the Welsh Lamb ers have opened up their fine cheeses such as Caws Enterprise, have been formed. farms to pony trekkers and Cenarth or Pant Ysgawn or

To ensure that more young people remain in rural Wales to provide an agricultural workforce, the Tai Cymru housing organisation is invest-ing £25 million in housing Homes are being built on 31 developments which can be bought by locals under a

shared ownership scheme. This allows them to buy as big a stake in their house as they wish. But if they move, they have to sell the property back to the council, which will pay the full market value.

With the dairy industry so Some farmers have turned large in Wales, there is now an abundance of effort being put into the sale and marketing of even Monteray. . . .

Tapping into other investments and cleaning up

Aparement in Suauris State Avon would seem to have little to do with the fortunes of the newly privatised Welsh Water business. But the cleanliness of the streets around William Shakespeare's birthplace is a subject worthy of discussion by the new shareholders of the company.

Speculators who innocently believed they were investing simply in reservoirs are learning that the water industry flows into many and varied tributaries of private enterprise.

A £1 million contract has recently been signed with the Stratford-upon-Avon district council for a subsidiary of Welsh Water to clean the streets of the English town for the next three Water authority wins £1 million refuse contact

and a half years. Cambrian Environmental Services was formed earlier this year by Welsh Water and Saur, a French company, in a joint venture, It is one example of why Welsh Water has become something of a

surprise success story for privatisation, having already exceeded the expectations set out in its prospectus. Welsh Water officials point out that the management of water is their fundamental task, but they see a vigorous capital-investment programme as the bedrock of profit

In Wales, that means serving three million customers and the 11 million

visitors who go to the principality every year. Welsh Water, with almost 4,000 employees, is one of the biggest businesses in Wales.

Most of the workforce is in the rural sectors, where the bulk of the company's 90 main reservoirs and 900 service reservoirs and water towers are situated. They in turn are linked to 1,100 pumping stations and eventually to about 1,000 miles of sewers and 1,429 miles of water mains, Each person in Welsh Water's region uses 30 gallons of drinking quality water a day, so it is in some ways fortunate that annual rainfall in the area is the highest in the UK.

plans to invest £1.75 billion to ensure success as a private company. Half the money will be spent on developing its above-ground assets, such as water treatment plants, and in the second half of the decade, investment will be devoted to improving mains and

Over the next decade, Welsh Water

Welsh Water recently reported a pre-tax profit on ordinary activities of £39.5 million on a turnover of £255.3 million, exceeding the forecast in its prospectus by £4 million.

The company chairman, John Elfed Jones, says: "The privatisation of the water and sewerage services business was achieved with a remarkable degree of success.

R U R A L P R O S P E R I T Y





For more iban a decade, the Welsh Development Agency has worked towards ensuring the prosperity of Wales. As a result, rural areas have benefited substantially, and the Agency's commitment to rural regeneration continues with a range of initiatives.

Our newly created Rural Affairs Division has initially targeted eleven communities in North, South and West Wales for 'Action Plan' regeneration schemes, inviting a significant contribution from local people themselves.

With an emphasis on community needs, the Agency will also be increasing its involvement in activities such as the development of the telecottage; a facility

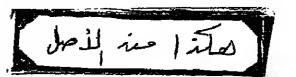
which gives rural areas access to computer and telecommunications equipment; and the establishment of a Rural Skills Training Centre in Dyfed.

We will also be targeting particular industrial sectors. These involve, for example, liaising with the Forestry Commission io developing a plan for the forestry and woodprocessing industries and commissioning a report on opportunities with the seafishing industry, including setting up a Fisheries Food Centre.

For further information about these and other rural initiatives, please contact: Alun Daniel, Welsh Development Agency, Pearl House, Greyfriars Road, Cardiff CFI 3XX, or call Cardiff (0222) 222666.

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FOCUS

Growth from grass roots

faces anyone who seeks to preach the need for change in the rural heart-lands of mid Wales. The breathtaking beauty of the countryside and the unspoilt charm of small towns and villages can obscure the vision of a region in need of

Any visitor motoring through the Brecon Beacons or along the Dyled coastline on a smilit day could be forgiven for believing that things should be left just as they are. The industrial valleys of the south still bear many of the scars which modern man is capable of inflicting on his en-

who make up the population of rural Wales are refusing to adopt a blinkered attitude of carefree wellbeing inspired by the natural beauty which surrounds them. In village halls and community centres awkward questions are being tackled and answers are being put forward by the people themselves.
On the eighteenth floor of the

Welsh Development Agency's headquarters in Cardiff, Alum Daniel, the organisation's executive director for rural affairs, is already turning words into action. He is a Welsh-speaking Welshman who knows something needs to be done and firmly believes that the agency's Strategy for Rural Prosperity can prove a vital

The communities of mid Wales are taking the problems of the region into their own hands and working

> towards greater stability and

future prosperity

weapon in the people's armoury.

The strategy, launched this year, identified 11 communities in rural.

Wates and plans are being drawn up to approach their problems individually. The work is based on grass roots democracy and begins grass roots democracy and begins in the community where the people meet to discuss the economic and business needs of their own districts.

Their ideas are then developed by steering groups in each area and plans detailing specific needs for investment and direction are written. The first of these should be completed by the autumn and the rest finished by December. Next year, the agency's £30 million budget for rural Wales will be directed straight to the heart of the directed straight to the heart of the problem.

Gone are the days when the



agency could be accused of simply building factory space of the wrong size in the wrong place at the wrong time. Today's approach is far more scientific and self-

critical.
"We recognise that at the WDA
we do not have a monopoly on
wisdom," Mr Daniel says. "What I am trying to do is work with other organisations and people from within the communities to provide the specific help that is "Our aim is to provide the

whole range of services and facilities necessary to persuade young families to stay in a region they have been leaving in vast

Although the agency does not have a social or community role, one factor central to its rural quality of life in the region. That means action to provide the sort of well-paid jobs which can sustain a vibrant economy.

The agency also knows it is necessary to generate new businesses in some areas associated with the traditional industries. At the moment, a fish caught off the Welsh coast can be landed and transported to Grimsby for processing before being returned to Wales where it will finally be served up at a restaurant in Tenby. The WDA intends to to find ways to end that bizarre route to the dining room by helping to set up processing facilities in Dyfed. Further inland, where forestry

covers a vast expanse of rural Wales, the agency is examining methods of developing timber ocessing to give landowners a better return on their investments.

The potential of computers and decommunications is being considered to encourage the dev-elopment of local businesses through improved technology and create highly paid jobs in country

Ioan Bowen Rees, chief executive of Gwynedd County Council, says: "The additional effort resources which the WDA intends to deploy in rural areas will be immensely important to the economic viability which is the foundation of traditional communities and their culture."



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Morgan Chambers: "A privilege to be involved in caring for this marvellons part of Wales"

he highest mouotain peak io south Wales looms into view just a few miles north of Cardiff along the A470 dual carnageway and serves as a daily reminder to car commuters from the Welsh valleys that they live on the fringe of some of the most beautiful countryside in Wales. Community charge payers from Mid Glamorgan, Gweni, Powys and Dyfed contribute just a little

annually towards the upkeep of the Brecoo Beacons National Park, this area of outstanding natural beauty virtually on their doorsteps.

The national park now de-mands a yearly budget of £1.6 million, which is speot on cooservation, planning, distributing information to visitors, recreation and administration, All this is managed by a permanent staff of fewer than 60 people, not

Natural beauty on their

many considering the boost the national park provides to the

doorstep

lourism industry.
The Brecon Beacons National Park is one of only 11 areas in England and Wales to have been granted this highest status in landscape protection. Its committee, under the chairmanship of Morgan Chambers, a Mid Glamorgan county councillor, is

bound by an Act of Parliament to conserve its natural beauty and promote its enjoyment by the

For Mr Chambers, this is hardly pleasure to be closely involved in

caring for this marvellous part of Wales," he says. The Brecon Beacons National Park owns 42,000 acres of land, which is more than any other national park in the country, but the committee still runs one of the

lowest spending authorities. In rural Wales, the Beacons is the southernmost of three national parks, which include the Pembrokeshire Coast in the west and Snowdonia to the north, All three have been subject to a high degree of change in recent years in environmental concepts, farming, recreation and rural development



Prys Edwards: head of a sophisticated big business.

Out to win the foreign visitor

tourism industry carned just under £1.5 billion for Wales in 1989. This amounts to one of the highest per capita incomes from tourism in

It now ranks second to manufacturing as a percentage of the gross domestic product and provides about 95,000 iobs, which makes up about 9 per cent of employment.

(WTB) pins its hopes for the future on marketing what it sees as the four selling points of its product; the scenery, heritage, culture and language. Prys Edwards, the chairman of the WTB, and just beginning his third three-year stint in the job, realises he is now at

Shorter working weeks and around the south coast of greater disposable income England.

the head of a sophisticated

Its rich heritage, culture and language is boosting the Welsh tourist industry

have made Wales more accessible as a place to spend a day trip or enjoy an activity holiday. Tourists from the rest of Britain are discovering that a break in Wales can certainly mean more than a deckchair on the beach or a stroll The Wales Tourist Board through countryside.

There are 94 sailing clubs in Wales, with about 27,000 members who regularly enjoy their sport on the sea or inland lakes, rivers and reservoirs, Coastal marinas are cropping up in places around Milford Haven and Barmouth, where yachtsmen cruise in sloons and ketches more commonly associated with the seas

Rural Wales

Flying clubs cater for visitors who want to take to the air and the hills of Powys and Gwent and parts of Mid Glamorgan are becoming as famous for their hang-gliders as they used to be for

In the Dyfed countryside, a new haven for lourists is emerging in the shape of the Oakwood Leisure Park, oear Narberth, which attracts scores of coaches from southern Britain. It is one of many activity and leisure parks in rural Wales that lure visitors from Britain and abroad.

The squeeze on spending caused by high interest rates and growing discochantment with many of the cheaper crosses Offa's Dyke.

package-huliday destinations is causing British holidaymakers to look afresh at

However, the tourist board still feels it loses out to the rest of Britaio in attracting foreigners. As a result it is pressing the government to grant it the legislative powers oecessary to promote Wales overseas. Tourists from abroad are bigger spenders than the Bruish, and are prepared to pay about £10 or more per person nightly for botel accommodation. Wales sees its future success

to being able to attract more visitors from Ireland. Germany. The Netherlands. North America and Australasia. The weather may not be guaranteed, but rural Wales is definitely geared up to offer quality to any stranger who



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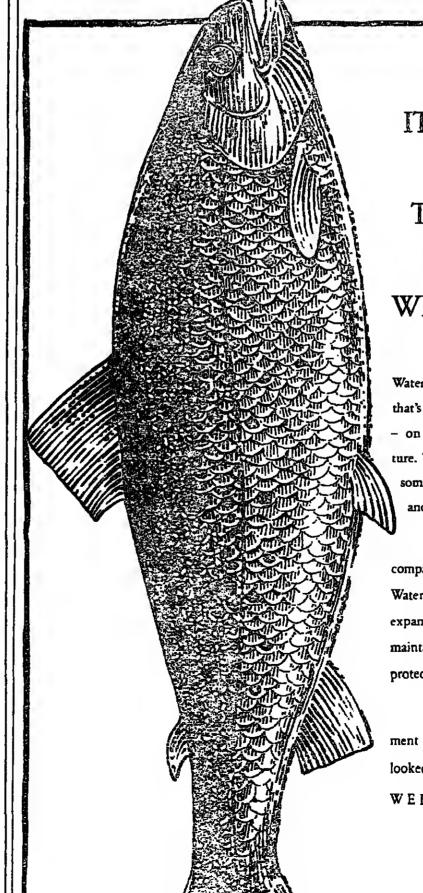
 And every year, we help to prepare 30,000 young people for the future by involving them in our education/industry

But that's not all - tourism and agriculture also get the benefit of our resources, acknowledging their past and future importance in the region.

Better transportation for staff and goods, cultural and recreational improvements and new economic stimuli are spreading through mid Wales on a daily basis - and, it appears, through many parts of Europe as well.

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The prospects for the environment and for Welsh Water have never looked healthier.

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Museum piece on the catwalk

o anyone who looks around and sees the en-tire country aglow in neon cycling shorts, it should be obvious that the Dress of the Year award at the Bath Museum of Costume is not meant to reflect what the woman in the street is wearing. This year the honour goes to Romeo Gigli, of Italy, not, as one might expect, for one of his more extravagantly midnight blue shot velvet jacket and trousers, with an embroidered cummerband and a blouse made out of three layers of rainbow net with the Gigli trademark shawl

The Dress of the Year, says Penelope Byrde, keeper of cos-tume at the museum, is intended to represent new and influential ideas in contemporary fashion; ideas which filter down to high

Until this year, when Joan Burstein of Browns, the chic boutique chain, nominated Signor Gigli, leading fashion journalists made the choice and, on the wbole, have had them vindicated by time. Mary Quant was the first to be honoured, in 1963, and it was ten years before foreign designers were selected: Christian Dior and Yves Saint Laurent in 1973, Missoni in 1974 and Kenzo in 1976 and 1977.

Reflecting the resurgence of British fashion in the Eighties, the collection records the fertile years of Maxfield Parrish (1982), Katharine Hamnett (1984), Bruce Oldfield (1985) and John Galliano (1987), though the names of some — Vivienne Westwood, for example - are conspicuous by their

Mrs Burstein has been a champion of Signor Gigli in this country, and presumably picked him for the award for the same reason she devotes an entire floor

Dinah Hall reports on the selection of

Romeo Gigli, the man who lets women wear trousers, as the designer of Bath's

Dress of the Year

to his clothes. "It's an absolutely fair cboice," says Sally Brampton, associate editor of the forthcoming Mirabella magazine and a veteran observer of the fashion scene, herself a judge in 1983. The effect he has had on fashion is undeniable.

This is true. The banishing of the shoulder pad, the softening of tailoring and the high-buttoned jacket are all credited to him. "He's a man of enormous talent, with the eye of an artist," Ms Brampton says, "and is one of the greatest colourists around."

This makes him popular with the aesthetes, too: the decorating set admire his elevation of fashion to a serious but sensual art. "His colours are straight out of a Florentine painting," says lise Crawford, editor of Elle

The personality cult built around Signor Gigli by the fashion press has been enhanced by his avowed dislike for personal publicity. The press cuttings all seem to dwell, with a Chatterleyesque frisson of excitement, over the fact that he works above what is variously described as a car repair shop, spare parts garage or Renault showroom in Milan.

But then, this is the appeal of Signor Gigli - the juxtaposition of mannish tailoring with richly

rarely features skirts in his collection, according to Browns, because he thinks women look more elegant in trousers (the only skirt it stocks looks like a trouser leg). Yet this is the man, according to Mrs Burstein, whose "apprecia-tion of women and their femininity has been outstanding".

Some would question this vision of fermininty. While his clothes are wonderful, says Maggie Alderson, editor of *Elle*, "his fashion shows are a nightmare — those thin, pale, drippy women come out looking unhappy and walk along slowly without moving their arms. It's as if he sees women as fragile bits of Venetian glass."

Oh, but he loves women, flutter some of the more ingenuous American journalists, sustaining the hope that the 40-year-old bachelor might even be a good catch, as well as a cultured, well travelled, architecture-trained hunk who gives sausages (all right, charcuterie) instead of samples for

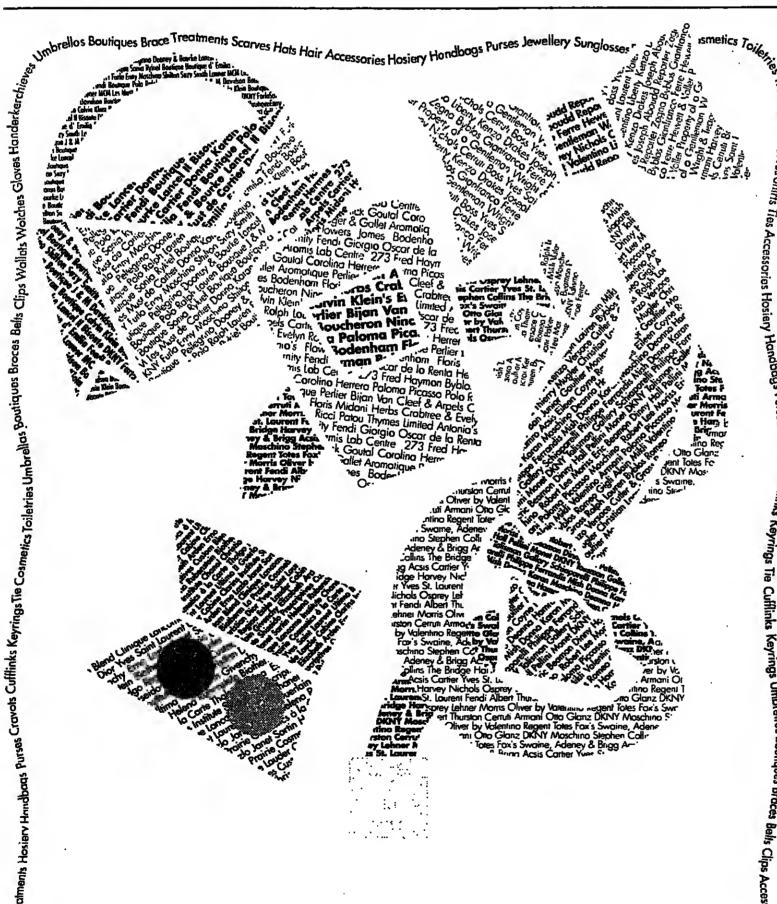
In fact, if Signor Gigli does love women, they are of the tall, thin, fragile variety, with arms of simian proportions. Women like Carla Sozzani, his "muse" and "companion" (a literal descrip-tion, those in the know believe, rather than a tabloid euphemism). Apparently it is her arms against which his shirt sleeves are measured, so that — even when they are not intentionally floor-length for the purpose of ruching up the forearm — they are longer than average. But then, you need long arms to reach the bottomless

● The Museum of Costume is closed until next year, but the Dress of the Year will be on show from Thursday to Saturday, from 10am to 5pm, at the Victoria Art Gallery, Bridge





Gigli style: left, the Dress of the Year and, right, one of the designer's more typical creations, featuring mannish tailoring and rich fabrics



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Grounds for appeal

In some of its 200 versions, Riccardo

Dalisi's coffee-

maker is more a

work of art

icon from the Eighties need look no further than the humble coffee-pot, whose form and function gripped a generation of de-

Alessi, homeware company, commissioned a series of tea and coffee services from a group of international architects Miehael Graves, Charles Jencks, Aldo Rossi, Oscar Tusquets, Robert Venturi, Hans Hollein, Richard Meier, Alessandro Mendini, Paolo Portoghesi, Stanley Tigerman and Kazumasa Yamashita -

and the results have become

collectably cult. None of these, however, became as obsessed with creating the definitive coffee maker as architect Riccardo Dalisi, who worked for the company for eight years. For him, the traditional tin Neapolitan coffee-maker transcends its specific function. He felt it necessary to review the ritual of coffee drinking and adapted his design to reflect contemporary living.

In the traditional Neapolitan coffee-maker, the water is poured into a cylinder and the coffee placed in an inner cylinder, with a filter. Then the other cylindrical part, with the spout, is added and turned upside down, when the water boils, to allow it to filter through the coffee. A simple process, but a slow one. Signor Dalisi's redefined

coffee-maker began with a coffee is drunk and coffee makers used in different parts of Italy. Then came the proto-types, 200 of them, from the frivolous to the conservative; all different, all functional and all made of tin. A procession of little tin men, robotic-looking saints, fabulous anisies contrasted with comparatively restrained miniature Neapolitan oil cans.

To turn his sketches into three-dimensional reality, Signor Dalisi tracked down one of the few craftsmen still working in tin. Yet he apparently never met Don Vincenzo, the craftsman who made up his designs. The old Neapolitan refused to speak to strangers, so Signor Dalisi left his drawings with a young nephew who acted as inter-

Alberto Alessi Anghini, of the Alessi company, says: "I in the oddest fashion, wrapped in drawing paper bearing still more sketches of coffee-makers, or in anonymous card-

"I remember the worried response of a leading advertising man to whom I showed the first prototypes. This is practically terrorism,' he said. "In the early years I tried to keep the prototypes under



cover, filling the drawers and closets of my office until there were too many of them and they started to overflow, forc-

ing me to make them public. Then, in 1981, Signor Dalisi was given the Compasso d'Oro award for his coffeemaker research and the definitive version, in stainless steel eventually mass-produced by

The coffee-maker, however, received a mixed reception when it was introduced to Britain three years ago. Some liked the traditional flavour of its design while others found the classic continental way of making coffee too much

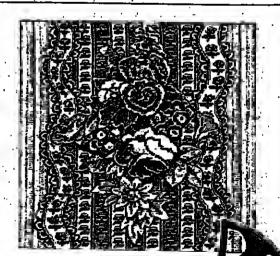
This week, 12 of Signor Dalisi's prototypes go on show as part of an exhibition of historical and contemporary coffee-pots in Harrods' celebration of Italy. A number of signed for Alessi by the architects commissioned in the Eighties, can be ordered at

pay for a good cup of coffee, Signor Dalisi's definitive Neapolitan coffee-maker is also on sale, at £115.

NICOLE SWENGLEY The exhibition A Grand Tour of Italy is at Harrods, Knichts-

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Whatever happened to women's lib?

Geoff Brown argues that Hollywood's present vogue for remakes is inexplicably giving new life to old sexual stereotypes

s Bette Midler declared. upon reading the script of her latest film, Stella: "You can't get through it without sobbing your eyes out." Rubbing the eyes, but more in disbelief than sorrow, might be a general reaction when the film opens in London on Friday. As the world strides headlong toward the 21st century, film audiences are to be faced with a modern beroine so consumed by the flames of self-sacrifice that she denies herself her beloved daugh-

denies herself her beloved daughter, pushing the girl into the arms of a fairy-tale life completely beyond her own vulgar reach.

Whatever happened to the hardfought achievements of equal rights activists? Where is the liberated, independent woman? She has vanished, sucked into the swamp of Stella Dallas—a 1922 novel by Mrs Olive Higgins Prouty, heavily clogged with period attitudes about class, money, and a woman's goals. and a woman's goals.

For a time the property led a charmed life, on Broadway, on radio, and in the movies: in 1925 and 1937, Samuel Goldwyn enjoyed two of his biggest hits with this story of rampaging mother-love. By the late Thirties Mrs Prouty's storyline already appeared dusty, though Barbara Stanwyck's performance as the mother sacrificing her child on high society's altar temporarily dynamited the plot back to life; for her pains Stanwyck even won an Oscar nomination. Over 50 years later, however, Siella has become a grotesque archaological specimen. Who needs a third cinema remake?

Who, indeed, needs most of the remakes currently stalking the cinemas? A plague is abroad. This year alone, the 1943 fantasy A Guy Named Joe emerged under the guise of Steven Spielberg's Always. The director Neil Jordan and writer David Mamet have resurrected the 1955 convict-on-the-run comedy We're No Angels; processes of re-creation.

C Hammer, who plays M C Hammer music,

participation and an uplifting message.

(released in Britain in November).

Attitude) and Public Enemy

disco music died."

artist, and he is featured in the soundtrack of

the film Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles

Not all rappers are delighted by this success.

His show, which involves ten dancers, ten

singers and ten musicians in 75 minutes of non-

stop action, owes more to Las Vegas than it

does to the ghettoes, and his messages of prayer

contrast with the confrontational black politics

of such acts as Ice Cube, NWA (Niggers With

"I compare the success of M C Hammer with

the success of John Travolta in Saturday Night

Fever," commented Doctor Dre of NWA at the recent New Music Seminar in New York.

Everyone knows that after that film came out,

This acid comment has already been passed

on to Hammer. "It's just the effect of me being

so popular and heing loved by so many

people," he explains modestly. "The rap artists

who wanted this kind of fame and success can't

comprehend it. It dumbfounds them that M C

Hammer, who is not from where rap originated

and who is not sticking to the limited form they



ge of the self-sacrificing mother: Bette Midler (left) in Stella Dalles, one of the many remakes on release. Barbara Stanwyck (right) took the same role in the 1930s production

while Michael Cimino is about to unleash a new edition of a far grimmer tale about escaped prisoners, The Desperate Hours. These represent merely the American properties; 12 French films are in the pipeline, despite the varied fortunes of previous transmnta-tions, where Gallic souffles emerged as lumpy American stew. and company in lame hi-jinks, while the whimsical wartime fantasy of A Guy Named Joe curdled some people's blood even at the time. Neither new version found Why all this beavering among the past? In the lengthening shad-ows of cinema history, are film-

goers beginning to witness the establishment of a repertory of classics that deserve re-interpretation, in the way that plays and operas regularly receive new stagings? This cannot be. A theatrical work is only properly resuscitated by a fresh production, whereas the film that gets remade often still exists, to be enjoyed in revival houses or on television. A film is more of an organic whole than a play, less susceptible to the

Unless a maverick director roams unfettered, the author's text serves as a stage production's tynch-pin; a film script merely provides the springboard. Most of the recent remake crop, moreover, cannot be categorised as hard-core classics: We're No Angels wasted Humphrey Bogart, Peter Ustinov

box-office success. The reasons behind the remake plague must be sought elsewhere: in economics, laziness, force of habit, or wayward spurts of inspiration. Past hit properties, sitting prettily in a studio's files, can look tempting to film-makers anxious to mount a production without the risks of an original script by an untried writer. Package deals can be lucratively arranged: at least four of the French

rounded up by a single producer, Frederick Golchan, who then placed them with various Hollywood stars and studios. n the case of Stella Dallas.

one can at least see the

project's attraction for Bette Midler. Here was another histrionic showcase to rival her last film, Beaches – itself a modern-day version of an old Hollywood weepie. As the newlook Stella, a self-sacrificing bartender and single parent, she could mix a heady cocktail of wisecracks and tears, yanking the audience to the effulgent melodrama of the final scene, where, impeccably bedraggled, she peers through the windows at her daughter's socialite wedding. But for the melodrama to work, audiences must feel sympathy for Stella's plight. An unhelpful script and the ravages of time conspire to make this impossible.

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Hollywood remakes, of course, are nothing new. Warner in the Thirties was famous for repackaging its main pictures as sprightly supporting features. In the Fifties Universal dressed up its backlog of weepies in a riot of succulent colours. More recently, television movie producers have cranked out pale imitations of famous titles for audiences old enough to remember the originals: Johnny Belinda, The Corn is Green, The Diary of Anne Frank. There is even High Noon Part II.

But younger cinema-goers, by and large, have no cushion of Hollywood nostalgia to lean on: they come to the remakes armed only with their spiky modem sensibilities. Had Stella beeo a television movie - the director. John Erman, is a veteran of the genre - it could have slid quietly and cosily into the schedules, Thrust on to the big screen, the film glares down like a basilisk.

Besides their tendency to huiltin obsolescence, remakes carry a further danger, they make the single, unique film seem more than ever an endangered species. A visit to the cinema or video shop is beginning to resemble a visit to a supermarket, where the shelves grown with minute variations of the same basic product, and ubiquitous brand-names rule the roost. Whole aisles contain nothing but sequels.

• Stella (15) opens in London at the Odeon Haymarket (071-839 7697) on Friday.

THE music industry is gearing up

As the product shrinks, the format multiplies. Soon, in this cinema supermarket, the punter will be able to buy Stella Dallas in an assortment of sizes, strengths and remakes. But nowhere will be the film nonpareil - the precious work of art that cannot be repackaged to suit another decade's whims,

THEATRE: CHICHESTER

Scenes from an island

German actress and director Rita Russek on Ingmar Bergman and his play, Scenes

from a Marriage

worked for Ingmar Bergman over a period of ten years when he was a director of the Residenztheater in Munich. I came out of that period feeling very different. The rest of the company did. too. The difference is that once an actor has worked with Bergman, he or she will not put up with the humiliations imposed by lesser directors ever again, because the Swedish director gives actors self-confidence and self-awareness. When actors do not have to struggle with anger, humiliation and fear of

authority, then they are in the position to delve deep into their work and their experiences. When they are embraced by that Bergmanesque confidence, friendship, love and interest, they feel like saving "Now, where's my throne?"

working with Bergman.

Ingmar Bergman came to Munich in 1976, during a period when he was in voluntary exile from Sweden, fleeing from a tax scandal from which he was later cleared. He saw me in a play by Arthur Schnitzler, Liehelei, and he asked me to play Emire in Tartuffe. By the time be left Munich in 1986. I had played five parts for him. At that point, we decided to mount a new production of his play. Scenes from a Marriage, which had first been seen in Munich in 1981. But since Bergman wanted to return to Sweden we decided to rehearse the play there. I went to Faro, the remote island where he lives, to discuss a new adaptation which would present only the two central characters. It is this version that is opening at Chichester with Alan

That is the feeling you get from

ing Johan and Marianne. When I arrived on the island Bergman was standing outside the front of his modest house, waiting, That is typical of him. In England waiting means looking at your watch and wondering when someone is going to turn up. But Bergman is always waiting in the sense of expecting. If rehearsals start at ten o'elock he will always be there a quarter of an hour earlier. The implication is that he is waiting for you, and that nothing could be more important. We started rehearsing on the island the following year, living in a barn that he had renovated.

Howard and Penny Downie play-

Final rehearsals were held in Liehtenstein, where the play opened. Bergman rarely leaves Faro so we were amazed when he came to see the production. Over the next four years. I played Marianne in Scenes from a Marriage over 100 times. Then 1 started to receive letters from Tel Aviv. Moscow, Amsterdam and Australia asking about the play. 1 rang Bergman and said: "Ingmar. what is this? I'm not your private secretary! Why am I getting these letters?" He replied: "If you can't play it, because it's in another language, you must direct it." Then I got a call from Michael Rudman at Chichester asking me to direct it in English. So here

This is the first time I have directed the play. Alan Howard and Penny Downie are two very good actors, but directing two people all the time is very exhaust ing. It is easier to say "I want 50 soldiers coming in from the left, I want music now, and here comes

the curtain." Although Penny is a completely different type 10 me, born in another culture, quite often she has had nearly exactly the same reaction to the play as I had. The same is true with Alan. So there is obviously some central truth in the characters that Bergman created, something that everybody understands. I hope so.

 Seenes from a Marriage opens at ester, touight. (0243 781312).

BRIEFING

Reunion of original guys

ONE of the National Theatre's most acclaimed productions of the past decade. Richard Eyre's 1982 staging of Loesser's musical Gurs and Dolls, is making a comeback for one performance only at the Olivier Theatre on November 11. The evening, which will benefit various Aids charities, pays tribute to the production's original leading man. Ian Charleson, who died of Aids last January. Paul Jones is taking the part of Sky Masterson, which Charleson originally played, while the remainder of the original quartet - Bob Hoskins. Julia McKenzie and Julie Covington - are expected to reprise their roles. So, too, is David Healy, whose show-stop-ping rendition of "Sit Down, You're Rockin the Boat" made this American actor's reputation

The one-night revival will also offer a fascinating guide to the career progress of some of the show's alumni. For instance, the current co-star of Into the Woods. Imelda Staunton, will take the subordinate role she had eight years ago. as one of Miss Adelaide's Hot Box girls. Her real-life husband, Jim Carter, will be on hand to play Big Jule.

Amadeus in bulk

for some stupendous feats in anticipation of the 200th anniversary of Mozart's death (December 5, 1791). Few enterprises, however, will rival the Complete Mozart Edition being released by the record company Philips. It comprises every minute of his 675 works; some 200 hours of music.

Launched yesterday, the Edi-tion consists of 180 discs arranged in 45 volumes. To buy the whole lot will cost the avid Mozartian about £1,400. The 45 volumes will be released over 14 months starting this week. Although the recordings come mainly from the existing Philips catalogue, the record company is promising a new recording of Mozart's unfinished one-act comic opera L'Oca del Cairo.

Tenors' triumph

YESTERDAY José Carreras. Placido Domingo and Luciano Pavarotti pushed Prince and Elion John off the top of the pop charts. The recording of the three tenors' World Cup concert, which went straight to No 2 on its release last week, cruised to the top of this week's Gallup/Music Week charts, and is likely to reach platinum (300,000 sales) within a few weeks. It has now sold 1.6 million discs worldwide.

Last chance

THE dry summer may be cursed by gardeners, but it has given the Open Air Theatre in Regent's Park one of its most successful seasons. Indeed, it now appears that this newspaper's June headling over a review of Julius Caesar -"Lend me your carmuffs" - was unnecessarily gloomy. The 1990 season comes to an end on Saturday, with the last performance of The Funtasticks this evening (before it embarks on a six-week countrywide tourL Julius Caesar finishing on Thursday, and Much Ado About Nothing ending on Saturday (07)-486 2431).



Hammer delivers several sharp hits

Singer M C Hammer: "In terms of showmanship, rap was prehistoric"

tions pre-date rap. He was initially impressed by soul-funk acts such as Parliament, Funkadelic and Earth Wind and Fire, which came to predominance in the late 1970s.

"Then rap came along and it was a great new form of music," he says. "But in terms of showmanship, rap was prehistoric. I was used to seeing people like the Temptations who put on a nice big show, and that is the way I present my music."

On stage Hammer is either acting as a macho man or the moral example for young reasonably-minded blacks. He sternly warns against the evil of drugs, and advises that "if you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything."

When he started rapping it was exclusively on religious themes and he still stresses the importance of the church in his life. But there is a tension between this evocation and his stage show which promotes an unbridled Folies Bergere view of sexuality.

This kind of tension was exploited before

Prince, who made it into the substance of their art. "It's a very humanistic, earthly side of M C Hammer," he says. "That's one of the things that my public is really able to relate to. I don't try to be angelic. I don't say that I'm perfect."

Doesn't he, as a Christian, have a problem justifying this erotic showmanship? "Er . . . ! would say that extremists would have a problem with it," he says. "I would have a problem with being over indulgent, but I don't have a problem with the sexy presentation. because the inner man is more important than the outer man. If you are walking along that narrow way', that shouldn't shake you.

One of his songs, "Let's Go Deeper", plays the sexual connotation of the title off against its spiritual connotation, the funk against the gospel, "It's a fight between the man who wants togo one place, and the other side of him which is always saying 'forget all that and go get some women', "he admits. "In 'Let's Go Deeper' the two of them finally come head to head."

Rap music is as frequently criticised for its lack of variation as it is praised for its vitality. It could do with stretching and blending, the way that The Rolling Stones stretched urban blues and made it the music of a generation. "U Can't Touch This" suggested that M C

Hammer might be the man to make the transition but, judging from his stage show, he lacks the musical creative gentus to do it. The furious dancing, the sparking Aladdin pants and the fireworks seem to be devices to distract attention from the slender nature of the sound. Could he be rap's Par Boone rather than its Mick Jagger? Could he be adding sugar to rap in the way that Boone made Fats Domino palatable for white teenagers and white-owned radio stations? "There's nothing sweet about

They Put Me in a Mix' or 'Turn This Mother Out' or 'Let's Get Started', " argues Hammer. They're very hard, energetic songs. I'm not sweetening the music, I'm just doing it my way. "You see, rap is from the heart. It's presented

by each person according to the way they feel the music. This is the way I feel it. It's not watered down - it's Hammer style."

This kind of tension was exploited before him by black singers such as Marvin Gaye and single, will be released this month.

present the art in, is doing ten times better."

Hammer - real name Kirk Burrell - is from Oakland, California, and his musical aspira-BOOK NOW = LIMITED SEASON FROM 19TH SEPT



Corrupt tale of child love

SANDWICHED between Britten and Shostakovich, First Love (Radio 3, Wednesday) offered a twenty-minute excursion from the Royal Albert Hall to the "palpitating plage" of Biarritz. Proms breaks are rarely so generous in their itinerary. Sketching a fervent romance between chaperoned tenyear-olds one Edwardian summer. Nabokov's short story is the locus classicus of all downy forearms and hot girlish ringlets; it is the autobiographical "eonfession" that is missing from the pre-war The Enchanter but which tees up - in an even more rapturous

fashion — *Lolita*. If concert fans are permitted to arrend with the score in their laps. Nabokovians must be allowed to monitor seminal texts when they are broadcast. The peerless evocation of the Nord Express with which the story opens contains a glittering boy's-eye view of the luxurious motion, from the exact fenestration of the carriages to the triumphant swoop of pathetic elation" of the passing telegraph wires. This consumes more pages of the published text than does the.

template for the latter, the shock of pre-pubescent love impinges on a consciousness steeped in the childish observation of the world. I mention these trifles only

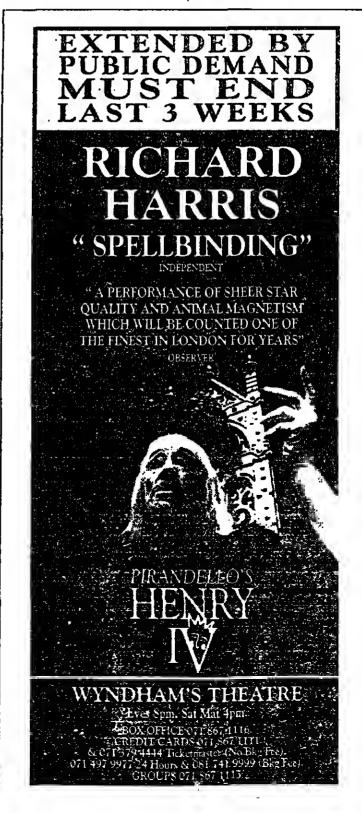
because they were missing from the script that Hugh Dickson had been given to read in his rather quivering manner - indeed, entire paragraphs were abandoned on the studio floor. One would not monkey with a Mozart quintet, at least not without informing the listener of the abridgement, and one tinkers with Vlad the Impaler at one's peril. But the final sentence, as broadcast, was persuasion enough that my 1960 Penguin is crucially corrupt. Meeting Colette for the last time in a Paris park, the narrator's cye latches on to "some detail in her artire . . . that reminded mc then of the rainbow spiral in a glass marble. I still seem to be holding that wisp of iridescence, now knowing exactly where to fit it ...", except that Dickson gave us "not knowing where to fit it", which makes equal, if diametri-

cally contradictory, sense. Sense is very much in short "affair" with Colette, and is supply on the current cult listening essential in that it furnishes a station, Radio Baghdad, which; an supply on the current cult listening

be accessed from 9pm onwards a little shy of 40,000 MHz on the short wave. One has to negotiate a veritable Babel to find it, and the signal is subject to operatic swoops worthy of the Radiophonic Workshop, but it is certainly worth the effort. The announcer's English is mainly competent, although he ehops up his sentences into bitesized chunks. Informing the world of the huge anti-war protests that have (apparently) filled the streets of London and New York, he claimed that "the Amer-ican-TVnet-works ignore-such demonstrations" In this Dalekspeak, the United

States comes across as little short of hell. "Millions-of Ameri-cansare-home less-and starv-ing-todeath ...sleep-ing-in-the streets and-eat-ing-from the-trash." The audience must assume that the announcer's microphone is freestanding, leaving one of his hands available to dangle a carrot and the other to wield a thumping great stick. The next time I have lunch with the home secretary I shall raise the desirability of having these broadcasts jammed.

MARTIN CROPPER



NEW RELEASES

THE BIG MAN (18). David Leland's overvirought version of William Nictivanney's novel about a Scottish artisan sucked into bare-knuckle boxing and Glasgow's underword Notable performance from Liem Niceson convolve Emino Morrigone must Ocean West End (07 I 930 5252/7615).

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a (071-930 3647)

Mrs Warren's

Profession Citizens, Glasgow

GILES Havergal's new production of Shaw's Mrs Warren's Profession at the Citizens finally gives the lie to that old gibe at the theatre, that patrons come out whistling the sets. Instead of relying on sumptuous designs for effect, as the company did for its recent cycle of Wilde plays, Havergal turns the emphasis of Shaw's play on the

There are only a few pieces of rehearsal furniture, battered tables, chairs and door frames, with the odd tatty couch or a garisb parasol, registering all the more effectively in their drab surroundings. The actors wear modern clothes with minimal Edwardian touches. Apart from the women's dresses, the costumes could still be worn today. It gives the play a chilling relevance.

Quite wby this should be is hard to determine. Most of the actors have worked at the Citizens before and Havergal is practised in the stripping down of plays, but seldom have the elements of a production welded themselves so effortlessly together. My guess is that it owes much to the presence of Ann Mitcbell. Mrs Warren could have been written for her.

From our first glimpse of her at the back of the stage looking slightly demure in a vaguely Edwardian has dominated by a pair of bird's wings, she looks like the vulgarian she admits to being. She is slightly blowzy but motherly too, and this is the key to ber power over men like Frank.

Korean National

Theatre

King's, Edinburgh

THIS double bill by two com-

panies from Seoul proved to be

much more fascinating than might

have been guessed from the

publicity. The Korean National

Theatre comprises six separate

companies covering different

performing arts: besides drama

there are ballet, opera and a

chorus, plus the two groups who

came to the Edinburgh Festival,

representing new developments of

Both offered works based on

stories about a woman defying the

BBC SO/Zagrosek

Albert Hall

PUT a piano centre-stage with a

chamber group of ten players

including a bass drum, surround

them with a large symphonic

orchestra divided between left and

right, plus four more percussion-

ists on the outskirts sharing

merely 30 targets between them,

and Stepping Out, a BBC com-

mission from Roger Marsh. as-

sumed a theatrical dimension

When they did sound, a cham-

ber-ensemble beginning, which

Marsh likens to "distant dances".

moved into sharper focus and

contrasted with the expanding

orchestra and the solo pianist's

entry. The composer's idea of a

narrative unfolding through the

music was given developing

conviction in a spirited perfor-

mance by the BBC Symphony

Orchestra conducted by Lothar

is given unaccompanied "breaks"

as well as significant concernante

role, and a visual dance dimension

that seems musically implicit in it

invites the question of why Marsh.

a faculty member at York Univer-

sity, does not seek creative col-

The solo piano (Martin Roscoe)

before a note was sounded.

traditional song and dance.

DANCE

to her native Cockney accent with the subtlety and precise calculation which underlie everything she does. Her performance throws new light oo the character and universalises the relation between mother and daughter. She is a mother, a bad and demanding one. Now that there is unlikely to be any frisson about her profession as the owner of the best little whorehouse in Brussels, we can see clearly what Shaw actually wrote: a drama about the power politics between parents and children as much as any critique of the hypocrisy of society. As Vivie Warren says, we know all that. This interpretation is infinitely more provocative.

This Mrs Warren, bowever, is not a one-woman show, and the rest of the cast match Mitchell perfectly. Debra Gillett as Vivie, looking unsettlingly modern, is the prototype of the fanatical meritocrat denying all need for emotion. Despite her privilege she spouts cant about choices in life being available for all.

As Sir George Crofts, Michael MacKenzie is bideously recognisable as the baronet who would now be living in tax exile behind a number of offshore companies. Derwent Watson makes the silly-ass rector Samuel Gardner vicious as well as funny. Tristram Wymark, looking like a raddled cherub, works perfectly with Ann Mitchell to make the scene in which he attempts to seduce Mrs Warren alive with

The programme quotes Shaw on the exaggerated effect that scenery has on a play. Shaw was talking about the fondness of the Edwardians for stage decoration

importunities of a tyrant. In

Madaine Tomi, performed by the

National Dance Company, the

heroine is the leading member of a

travelling dance troupe and mar-

ried to its leader. Her beauty

attracts the king who, when his desire is frustrated, has her hus-

band blinded. The latter is even-

tually reunited with his wife but

dies on the spot, whereupon she

dances her way to heaven where

The choreography by Bom Song

mixes cheerful and colourful folk

dance - vigorous and varied -

with episodes of drama and grief;

the finale offers a strange, slow

and affecting ritual all in white. In

the livelier episodes, many of the

dancers play drums or little gongs

to supplement the music of wind

laboration with a choreographer.

The spatial sense of instrumental

relationships and rhythmic per-

spective evident in this work

could be a fruttful stimulus in that

Among the rest of a mixed

programme, the soprano Lynne

Dawson sang Ravel's Shehera cade

songs more as daydreams than

sensual experience, though with

welcome verbal clarity. Zagrosek

moulded a careful instrumental

balance for her, and the enchant-

ment of Schubert's Fifth Sym-

phony, replete with all the marked

repeats except one, was only

slightly marred by the lack of any

lift to the rhythm in the slow

Philip Fowke had a double

appearance as solo pianist with the

BBC Concert Orchestra in its

second prom this season. In a

sense his two works were linked.

because Franck's Symphonic Lari-

ations of 1885 was the kind of

Romantic heritage against which

Prokofiev consciously reacted in

his Piano Concerto No 1 a

generation later (1912), which was

written for himself to perform as a

teenage student at St Petersburg

The works were played in

reverse order here, the percussive

brittleness of Prokofiev dis-

charged with sure-fingered com-

mand and a vein of expressive

second movement.

Conservatory.

instruments or voices.

direction.

she rejoins him.



Ann Mitchell: bringing new light to the oldest profession

rather than a design which complements the play. But by going against tradition the Citizens has produced the most illuminating production of Shaw there has been for many years. A lady behind me

Son Byung-Woo and Yang

Sung-ok give vivid expression to

the husband and wife, and the

whole production, lasting slightly

over an hour, holds the attention

throughout by its skilled blending

of traditional display dances and

The other presentation. Song of

Ch'unhyang, is even more un-

usual. It is performed by the

Ch'angguk Company, whose

name refers to a development

(dating from early this century) of an ancient folk form, Originally

just one singer narrated a story. He

would have used a special throaty

voice which was trained to be

flexible in both tone and rhythmic

Nowadays a different performer

plays each role but it still differs

from Western opera in consisting

Franck had no less brilliance of

keyboard figuration to adom the

working through of two thenies, in

conjunction with often surpris-

ingly delicate orchestral writing

which was nicely poised by Barry

Wordsworth's skilled musical-

ity, so often overlooked when he

conducts the Royal Ballet com-

panies, was notably evident in his

shaping of Fram'esca da Rimini.

the most nearly Wagnerian of

Tchaikovsky's works in its "fan-

tasy after Danie". A scrupulous

ear for phrasing and pulse made

the sombre introduction specially

The flutes made heavy weather

of their decorative arabesques in

the later love music, and some of

the latter lost its sense of direction

before all passion was spent and

engulfed in renewed musical tem-

pests. Otherwise the pictorial ele-

ment was kept in proportion to the

overall musical shape in develop-

ing thematic ideas, and was most

vividly sustained by one of the

BBC's most versaule "house"

orchestras in its wide range of

Times were propitious for the

liberating spirit of Janacek's

Glagoluic Mass, the title referring

to his 1927 setting of the church

text in Old Slavonic as a gesture to

the new-found identity of

His fellow countryman. Libor Pesek, conducted the exhilarating

JEFFREY BERNARD

IS UNWELL'

modern dance drama.

nuance.

Wordsworth.

effective.

repertory.

Czechoslovakia.

told her friend rather indignantly that this was not the way they would have done it at Stratford. More fool Stratford.

together, from a three-hour work

in which young lovers are sepa-

rated, but he returns in time to

rescue her from death - she hav-

ing previously escaped from a

Western audiences might per-

haps find the whole work lacking

in action, but these highlights were

enjoyable, with Suk-Son Han and

Hee-Jin Eun touching in the main

roles and a marvellous perfor-

mance, both funny and tragic, by

Chong-suk Oh as the girl's mother.

performance (televised on BBC 2)

with the Royal Liverpool Phil-

harmonic Orchestra and Choir

supplemented by the BBC Sym-

phony Chorus, although the extra

voices were not noticeably advan-

Its joyful, affirmative spirit - a

true mass of life if ever there was

one - was strongly registered with

dramatic overtones as the short

musical phrases built their cu-

mulative effect. Strange that so

little use is made of the two lower

voices in the solo quartet while the

soprano and tenor, Jane Eaglan

and John Mitchinson, needed

operatic reserves of tone and

range. Ameral Gunson and Mich-

ael George added brief alto and

bass contributions, and the

Liverpool chorusmaster lan

Tracey, made much of the organ

solo recessional that follows the

As principal conductor at

Liverpool since 1987, Pesek has

developed confidence and vitality

in an orchestra presently celebrat-

ing the 150th anniversary of its

origins. Their playing in Jánaček

had subtlety as well as incisive

attack, and followed an account of

Beethoven's "Eroica" Symphony

NOEL GOODWIN

terly spleodour in the finale.

vocal setting.

JOHN PERCIVAL

worse fate.

Alasdair Cameron

of sung conversations without

DARK HABITS (15) Shallow foot-dragging troic from the early Eightes by the arias, duets or ensembles, although the vocal line is immensely more varied than in Western ABSUROPERSON SINGULAR: recuative. In Edinburgh they gave four key episodes, lasting 45 minutes al-

> AFTER THE FALL Annu Moer acting out love guit and manage Bewitching performance by Josette Simon National Theatre (Cottestoe) South Bank SE http://lege.2252) Underground/BR Waterloo Tompht, himotrow, 7 30pm, mail tomorrow, 2,30pm Running time Zhris 55mms

AS YOU LIKE IT: Soone Thompson in accomplished production packed with deli Barboan Theatre Barboan Centre Sili-Street EC2 (071-638-8891) Underground: Barboan/Mongate/St Paul's Tonight, 7 30pm Running time 3hrs In repertory

ICI BURN THIS: John Malliowich is eye-catching but mannered as the write force in Lantord Wilson's American comedy Lyric Shattesbury Avesue, Wri (171-437 3686) Lindenground Piccadilly Circus Mon-Sat, 7 30pm mat Sat, 2 30pm Furning time 2ths 55mms, Extended to October 6

CIRCUE DU SOLEIL Highly

CIRCUE DU SOLEIL Highly publicased Canadian troups jump out to be sensational than expected Jupitee Gardens South Bank Centre SE1 (071 928 8800) Underground/89 Waterloo Tues-Sat 8pm Sun 6pm mats Sat 3pm end Sun 2,30pm Running time 2hrs 30mins THE DAY YOU'LL LOVE ME Good in earnest drama about a lange dance Hampstead Theatre Swiss Cottage Centre NW3 (071 722 9301) Undergro

CI FLARE PATH: Tiptop revival of Rategian's RAF play, delity moons drama and comedy considy King's Head, 115 Upper Street, N1 (071-226 1816) Underground Highbury & Islangton. Tues-Sat, 7 45pm, mate Sat, Sun, 230pm. Running time 2hrs.

Swes Conage Mon-Set 8pm. mai Sat. 4pm Running time 1th 50mins

Z GASPING: Hugh Laune and Bernerd Fill in Ben Elton's greenish cornedy. Flather over the top but lots of leaghs. Theatre Royal Haymarket SW1 (071-93) 98321 Underground Procadily Mon-Thurs. Bpm. Fn and Sat 6 30pm mats Fn and Sat, 5pm Plunning time 2hrs 30mms. I HAVING A BALL: Alan Sleasdale's leable comedy about vasectomy Comedy Panton Street, SW1 (071-867

END Jane Grover who has returned to the Collegum to conduct! The Magic Flute talks to Rooney Milnes Editor of Opera London Collegum Si Martin's Laine WC2 1071 836 31611, 12 30pm LUNCTIME CONCERT Celebrated panet Angela Hewiti plays Chopin's -Poorases Warzes Benopagate Hall 230 Behoosgate EC2 (071-247 6844), 1 05pm-1 50pm.

notable for its urgency and drive. The funeral march in the slow MUMMENSCHANZ: The first of six movement was oddly relaxed, but performances by the Swiss-based mime group said to have "entranged audiences all over the performance generated masthe world" Sadler's Wells. Reselvery Avenue. EC1 (071-278 8916), 7 30pm

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CINEMA GUIDE

Geoff Brown's assessment of films in London and (where indicated with the symbol •) on release across the country.

a convent where anything goes Metro (071 437 0757)

CIMENA PARADISO IPG) Guseoce Tomasore's nostalgic tale of a small Schlar cineme an appealing salet to the movies Camden Parliway (07) 267, 7034 | Prantiere (07)1-439, 4470) CRIMES AND MISDEMEANORS (15):

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O DAYS OF THUNDER (12) Slock car ang drama from the brains behind foo Gun. My on rapatrack action and Tom Cruste's codity gmn. week on ongmain Cannon Fullnem Road (071 370 2536

MBLOU EN MAF (15): Touthless satise from Louis Mafe. about a bourgisce far May 1986 guttering in Bordessur for a funest Michai Piccoli Asou-May. Curzon Mayfair (071-465-8965). OKK-TRACY (PG): The blockbuster of the year – dezzing to look at though direct size therein Beatty does with to breazhe the into the count-strip desective. With Madonia Al-Pacino. Chaine-Morsmo Casmon Haymenhat (07: 839-1527). Odeols Kentengton (07: 632-664/5). Mezzanine (07: 931-11). Sivess Cortage (07: 722-5905). Warner (07: 439-0791). Wholesys. (07: 722-3003). 3324). WHITE HUNTER, BLACK HEART (PG): A Clini Eastwood biddity inspired by John Huston's behaviour while filming. The Atrican Quaen Amusing to invisites, but

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(PG): Sean Connery as a Soviet subman commander trying to detect. Ponderous pre-glasnost drama. Plaza (071 497 9999) ♦ INTERNAL AFFAIRS (18). Tired fimiler, given some Not by British director Mike Figgs Staming Richard Gera and Airoy Garcia Cannon Futham Road (071-370 2535).

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Booman's alegorical comedy with Dabney Colestan as a tycoon who ends up with his, tamby in a Brooklyn tenement, Labonous, but visually striking Odeon Mezzanine (071 930 6111).

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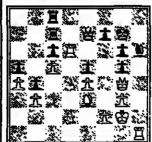
FEBRULE (b) Feverish, fevered, in a muck sweat, from the Latin febris a fever: "Ships, I imagined, full of lovers and revellers, men and women in staterooms thick with perfume and the febrile

OATSY OATSY
(b) Full of vigour and self-importance, deriving from the expression "to feel one's oats", adopted from equestrian horsey babble, implying a mixture of sexual frishness and self-satisfaction: "When all provinces are feeling oatsy with power, there is little opportunity for Ontario to throw its weight around."

(c) A three-masted merchant vessel of the Mediterranean, from the Italian polacea, though what Poland has to do with a Levantine boat is a mystery: "The high-sterned polescre is riding within musket shot of the beach."

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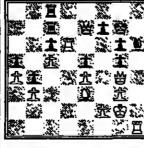


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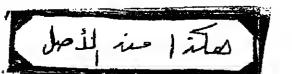
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BBC 1 5.00 Ceefax 6.30 Breakfast News with Nicholas Witchell and Jit Dando 2.55 Regional

News and weather News and weather followed by The Odd Couple, Strong American cornedy. series from the early Seventies starring Jack Klugman and Tony Randeli as divorced flatmates

9.30 Best of British: All at Sea. Aquatic scenes from 50 years of Rank films 9.55 The Travel Show Traveller. John Thirtwelf a personal view of the Greak

island of Kos (r) 10.00 News and weather followed by The Pink Panther Show

10.25 Playdays (r) 10.50 Crystal Tipps and Alistair 10.55 Five to Eleven (r) 11.00 News and weather followed by Hudson and Halls, Actress Rima Te

Wiata helps the camp cooks prepare Chinese style dishes (r)

11.30 Wildlife Safari to the Argentine: To the Falls of Iguazu. The expedition discovers howler mankeys and colourful toucans in the steamy, sub-

tropical jungles (r)

11.55 The Historyman. Bryan McNemey visits Landguard Fort, Feliostowe's most important historical monument

12.00 News and weather followed by The Garden Party Entrepages: Garden Party. Entrepreneur Jennifer D'Abo kinches with Robert Kilroy-Silk while Molly Weir harvests soft fruit -12.55 Regional News and weather 1.00 News with Philip Hayton. Weather 1.30 Neighbours. (Ceefax) 1.50 Farrell in Pursuit of ... Litopia.

Nigel Farrell meets people who think it is possible to find Utopia in this world i). (Ceefax) (1957, b/w). Billy Wilder's clever and with adaptation of the Agatha Christie courtroom drama about Leonard Vole (Tyrone Power), a man accused of murder, whose enigmatic wife (Marlene Dietrich) takes the stand against him. Charles Laughton turns in a

morable performance as Vole's

screen wife Elsa Lanchester

7.10 Open University: Everyday Violence.

9.00 Requiem for a Railway: Of Coppersmiths and Kings. The first of two programmes tracing the history, of the Great Western Railway up to nationalisation. Swindon's railway

Peter Brown visited the milway town before their closure in 1986 (r)

9.30 Trades Union Congress 1980. Live coverage of the TUC Congress in Blackpool confinues with debetes on social issues. Presented by Vivian White Nick Incomed to Confinence.

White, Nick Jones and Ian Smith 12.45 When I Get to Heaven, Edna O Brien. The Irish writer reveals her

expectations of heaven to Bishop Richard Holloway (1)

1.20 Charlie Chalk (1) 1.35 Sign Extra (1)

2.00 News and weather followed by
Trades Union Congress 1990, Neil

Kinnock, leader of the Labour Party,

addresses the afternoon session of the

TUC Congress, and John Edmonds of the General Municipal Boilermakers

Union presents a report by the TUC's Environmental Action Group. Including at 3.00 News and Weather

3.50 News and weather followed by

workshops produced Brunel's historic locomotives and hundreds of others.

esty defence lawyer, nursed by his off-

BBC 2

4.10 The All New Popeye Show (r) 4.35 The Really Wild Show. In the last programme in the series we meet the world's most dangerous snakes (r) 5.00 Newsround 5.10 Steel Riders: Deadlock, Seventh In

an eight-part thriller. (Ceefax) Neighbours. (Ceefax). Northern Instand: Sportswide; 5.40 Inside Ulster

6.00 News with Peter Sissons and Anna Ford, Weather 6.30 Regional News Magazines. Wales: Wales Today; Northern Ireland: Neighbours 7.00 Trivial Pursuit.

 CHOICE: With Ctuedo having just finished its run on ITV, another popular board game gets the television treatment. Rory McGrath, a mildly alternative comedian from Channel 4, asks the questions and cracks the jokes as four humble members of the public try to fill their coloured wedges. In en attempt to make the proceedings televisual, the dice throwing is represented graphically and there are significant departures from the game as played at home. Both initiatives are defensible, but not the tendency of flashing the "board" on and off the screen so quickly that it is difficult to fellow the state of the game. I doubt whether envone who has not played Trivial Pursuit, and there must still be

I five! Pursuit, and there must still be such people, will have much idea of what is going on. Without an understanding of the rules, it becomes just another general knowledge quiz. (Ceefax)

7.30 EastEnders. (Ceefax)

8.00 May to December. Inoffensive coinedy series staming Anton Rodgers and Eve Matheson. (Ceefax)

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8.30 On the Up. CHOICE: Making his first venture into altuation comedy, Dennis Watermer is cast as his usual pul-upon te cast as his usual put-upon.
Cockney, here at the receiving end of a volatile wife who keeps having nows and walking out on him. Behind this running joke is the social insecurity of a rough working-class boy who has made a load of money but resents his lack of acceptance in posh society. The main comic support comes from

5.00 Battling the Atlantic: A Solo Voyage with Pete Goss. An Atlantic crossing (r)

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5.30 Gardeners' World (r)
6.00 Film: Fury at Smugglers' Bay (1960)
starring Peter Cushing, John Freser and
Bernard Lee: Writer/director John
Gilling's jolly tale of piracy and
smuggling in 18th century Cornwall,
in which the local fisherman lose their

lucrative sideline in contraband to a

Continuing Alan Plater's adaptation of

Beyond the Law. The final programme

asks whether the future of Britain a race relations lies beyond the reach of

television directors a chance to prove

extends a similar opportunity to writers who have not worked in the medium

before. Début on Two is a series of six

response to a campaign leunched in 1988 to find new writing talent, Robert

murderous band of shipwreckers 7.30 Animation Now: Beginnings

Anthony Trollope's Barchester novels (r). (Ceefax) 9.00 A Bit of Fry and Laurie. (Ceefax) 9.30 Ain t No Black in the Union Jack:

the law. (Ceefax) 10.10 Début on Two: The Conversion of

St Paul.

CHOICE: After giving new

themselves in 10 x 10, BBC2

20-minute chames selected from

some 3,500 scripts submitted in

7:40 Bilko (b/w) (r). 8.05 The Barchester Chronicles.

Waterman's extensive retinue of waterman's extensive reunols or servants, pleyed by such stalwarts as Sam Kelly and Joan Sims, plus a teanage daughter at boarding school who adds her quota to his social shame. The writer is the prolific Bob Lerbey, best known for A Fine Romance and his collaborations with John Esmonde on The Good Life and Ever-Decreasing Circles. The first episode of On the Up passes agreeably without suggesting the show will have the spark of wit or depth of character to lift it above the general run. (Ceefax)



Social insecurity: Decnis Waterman (9.30pm)

9.00 News with Martyn Lewis followed by Regional News and Weather 9.30 Film: All of Me (1984). Phil Alden Robinson's comedy fantasy has Steve Martin as an idealistic lawyer whose body is accidentally invaded by the soul of Lily Tomlin's ecce ress. The resulting confusion is a tour de force by Steve Martin who twilches and convulses as he tries to rid himself of the unwanted extra. Also starring Victoria Tennant. Directed by Carl Reiner. (Ceefax). Northern Ireland: Agenda; 10.20-10.50 Catch of

the Day
11.00 Film 90 with Barry Norman.

Memphis Belle and Stella are discussed in a new series of the cinema programme that, refreshingly, does not have an axe to grind 11.30 Spenser for Hire: Death by Design.

Robert Urich 12.15am Weather

> Flynn'a contribution is set in Dundee where a young jazz trumpeter (Tom Radoliffe) pleying a routine gig becomes involved with a tramp, a prostitute and her aggressive client and undergoes a "conversion" as a result. If the piece is asked to carry a weight of symbolism that it cannot really bear, it is neatly worked out with a minimum of dialogue and the maximum of visual impact. The only cavil is that the switches between colour and black and white seem to be dictated more by a desire to experiment for its own sake than the needs of the



High notes, low life: Tom Redcliffe (10.10pm)

Interview, Ends at 12.30am

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6.00 TV-am 9.25 Jeopardy! Chris Donat has the answers, but will the contestants have the questions? 9.55 Thames News

and weather 10.00 The Time . . . The Place . . . Mike Scott lours the country, giving viewers the opportunity to air their opinions on a topical issue

10.40 This Morning. Richard Madeley and Judy Finnigan present the magazine programme. A new regular feature for Tuesdays is Not Born Yesterday, a look at how different countries treat their elderly residents, starting with New Zealand. Anne Ashworth offe advice on money matters and Maggie Philbin investigates your customer queries in Check Out. Including 10.55 News headlines and 11.55 Thames News and Weather

12.05 Rod, Jane and Freddy: Pets. New series of educational fun for children 12.25 Home and Away 12.55 Thames 1.00 News at One with John Suchel

1.20 Something To Treasure. Geoffrey Bond and Su Evans are back to investigate the offbeat side of the world of antiques. They discover why the original flustrations for the book Black Beauty caused a stir at auction 1.50 A Country Practice 2.20 Taka the High Road 2.50 Tell the Truth. One of three

members of the public has a genuine claim to fame. Dave Lee Travis, Gabriele Drake, Roy Castle and Lynda Beilingham try to discover which one. Hosted by Fred Dinenage 3.15 News headlines 3.20 Thames

3.25 Families. Anglo-Australian soap 3.55 Children's TV: Turn On to T-Bag(r) 4.20 Scooby Doo (r) 4.40 Woof! (Oracle)

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non-payers 8.00 The Bill: Where There's a Wilf. More from the top notch cop show DI Burnside (Christopher Ellison) is suspicious when stolen goods are returned to their former owner, and Sgt Cryer (Enc Richard) learns that he is the beneficiary in the will of a well-known prostnuta. (Oracle)

8.30 Everybody's Equal. Chris Tarrant gives 200 contestants an equal chance of winning a cash prize at the press

of a button 9.00 Taggart: Evil Eye. The first of a new three-part story starring Mark McManus as the dour and cynical Scotlish policeman. A gypsy woman's murder outside Glasgow is linked with the fatal stabbing of a policeman in London dunng a robbery. Taggart and Jardine (James Macpherson) find their investigations complicated by the presence of a team from the London Met. Jill Gascome of The Gentle

Touch in support (Oracle)
10.00 News at Ten with Alastair Burnet and Trevor McDonald. Weather 10.30

Thames News and weather

10.40 First Tuesday: Murder in Glodwick.

CHOICE. Yorkshire Television's monthly documentary slot presents an impressively researched reconstruction of the murder of a 14year-old Pakistani boy in Oldham in July last year. The boy was shol in the head with an airgun in an apparently

motiveless attack which, to the anger of the Asian community, the police declined to brand as racial. The police also declined to appear on the programme, although their swift apprehension of the killer is much to their credit. Mark Galloway's film not only presents a gropping recap of events, fleshed out by extensive interviews with those involved. It also widens the enquiry to consider that background of race relations in Oldham and visits the boy's family home in Pakistan. The most revealing interview would have been the one that tor obvious reasons Galloway was unable to get, with the young man who fired the bullet and allegedly said of his victim, "He was only a Palu"



Sister of victim: Sefina Akram (10.40pm)

11.40 Prisoner: Cell Block H 12.30am The New Avengars. Stylish, offbeat thniler series starring Patrick Macnee, Gareth Hunt and Joanna Lumley (r) 1.30 Video View 2.00 Banks and Copstick at the Fastival.

Morwena Banks and Kate Copstick

present highlights from the Edinburgh Festival 3.00 Donahue, Phil Donahue talks to victima of multiple abuse

4.00 Entertainment UK 5.00 ITN Morning News with Anne Leuchars. Ends 6.00

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6.00 Noah'a Ark: Amphibious Fauna of the Amazon. The versaule animals of South America's great river

6.20 Business Daily 8.30 The Channel Four Daily 9.25 The Art of Landscape. Scenes of

natural beauty set to music 11.00 As It Happens, Victoria Studd and her camera team continue to record
events at St George's Hospital,
Tooting, south London

12.00 Way of the Lakes. Tony Warburton
concludes his journey through the Lake

District. He examines the problems of farming on the feliside, rides on the Ratty Railway and visits a stately home in the National Park 12.30 Business Daily. Business and

financial news service 1.00 Sesame Street. Educational series

for younger children (i) 2.00 Film: Up in Central Park (1948, b/w). Handsomely mounted but matically stodgy musical starring Deanna Durbin in her penultimate film iole. Albert Sharpe stars as her father in a story of trish immigrants who become involved in political corruption in New York. Vincent Price is the unscrupulous politician, and Dick Haymes the journalist trying to expose him. Directed by William A. Seiter 3.40 The Oprah Winfrey Show: Luther Vandross. The inquisitive chat show

host meets the singer who talks about his fife, his loves and his weight

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4.30 Countdown. Richard Whiteley hosts another round of the game show testing contestants' vocabulary and numerical skills. The guest is Brian Johnston and the challenger is lan

McLoughlin
5.00 The Lona Ranger: Desperado at
Large (b/w), Classic western series
teatuning the masked man (John
Hari) and his Indian sidekick, Tonto

5.30 Noah's Ark: The Vicunas. The Spanish ecological series reports on the vicunas, a small breed of camel, threatened with extinction until the creation of the Lauca National Park in the Chileen highlands (r), (Teletext) 6.00 Sumo, Lyall Watson commentales

on the action from last year's autumn Grand Sumo tournament in Tokyo's Kokugikan Arena (r) 6.30 Mork and Mindy; Mork, Mindy and Mearth Meet Milt. Science-fiction

comedy series starring Robin Williams as the alien from Ork 7.00 Channel Four News with Jon Snow 7.50 Comment followed by Weather 8.00 Landshapes: Water and Weight. Tim Preece continues his study of Britain's vaned landscapes by visiting the Dorset coast, it is an area much influenced by the combined

(Teletext) 8.30 Cooking with Mosimann. Chef Anton Mosimann creates another selection of culinary delights, exploring various fish recipes, from the flamboyant to the simple (1). (Teletext)

and the forces of gravity (r).

effects of rain, the rivers it generates,

9.00 The Thatcher Audit: Profit and Loss. The last in a series of three documentanes examining how the British economy has fared under the Conservative Government in another thumbs-down report, Will Hutton, economics editor of *The* Guardian, concedes that big changes have taken place since Mrs Thatcher tirst took office but questions whether Britain will be able to compete with other European economies in the luture.

(Teletext)
10.00 Film: Murder: By Reason ot fnsanity (1985). Candice Bergen and Jurgen Prochnow star as a Polish couple who defect to the United States. Unable to adjust to his new Mestyle, the husband becomes increasingly violent and Bergen files for a divorce. But her troubles do not end. A violent and moody drama, based on a true story, with Prochnow suitably territying as the unbalanced immigrant. Directed by Anthony Page

11.50 Boulez and the Twentieth: Tone. Pierre Boulez, in rehearsal with the Ensemble intercontemporain. examines the use of tone in

examines he use of fone in contemporary music

12.45am Royal Ellington. Highlights of Bob Wilder's Royal Ellington Tribute Concert, recorded at the Festival Hall, Features "The Mooche", "Take the A Train" and the world Premiere of "The Overales Suito" With Arteloide 'The Queen's Suite", With Adelaide Half, Alan Cohen and Tony Coe (r) 1.50 The Ario Guthrie Show. American folk concert with Arlo Guthne. Pete

Seeger and Bonnie Ratt. Ends 2.50

RADIO 1

Regional News and weather

FM Stereo and MW 5.00am Gary King 6.30 Simon Mayo 9.00 Stereo Botes 12.30 Newshire 1.1 SUU SIRRON paines 1230 Verwe Wright in the Gary Dawies 3,00 Steve Wright in the Afternoon 5,30 News 90 6,00 Jakki Brambies 7,30 Will You Stiff Love Ne Tomorrow? 2: The Puls Spector groups John Peet 10,00 Nicky Campbell 12,00-2,00am Bob Hants os 8.30

RADIO 2

FM Stereo 4.00am Alex Lester 5.30 Chris Stuart 7.30 Denek Jameson 9.30 Justith Chalme 11.00 Jimmy Young 1.05 David Jacobs 2.05 Glona Hunniford 4.05 Howard Keel 5.05 John Stalker 7.00 The Pasadens. 5.05 John Saler 7.00 The Pascella. Roof Crebestra frew sories; So-part comedy serial teaturing Duncan Galloway 7.30 Steve Race 9.00 Hansmania! 10.00 Ken Bruca 12.05em Jazz Parado with Tony Russell 12.30 Adelade Natl 1.00-4.00 Bill Rennella sett blook 15 del.

WORLD SERVICE:

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and Work of Jim Hondrix 6.00 World News
8.09 Twenty-Four Hours 8.30 Europe's
World 8.45 Network UK 6.00 World News
9.09 Words of Faith 8.15 Health Matters 9.30
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SATELLITE

SKY ONE

5.00mm Sky World Review 5.30 international Business Report 6.00 The CU Kat Show 8.30 Panel Pol Pourt 10.00 Mr Selvedare

10.30 The Young Doctors 11.00 Sky by Day 12.00 True Confessions 12.30pm Sale of the Century 1.00 Another World 1.50 As the

the Century 1.00 Another version 1.59 Act are World Turns 2.45 Lower 3.15 Three's Company 3.45 The DJ Kell Show, and The New Leave It to Beaser 5.00 Ster Treix 6.00 Sale of the Century 6.30 Fernily Test 7.00 Love at First Sight 7.30 Mother and Son 5.00 Chels 10.00 Love at First Sight 10.30 Virtewolf 11.00 Ster Treix 12.00 Pages from Shotel

SKY NEWS

Manage 1

8.35am Open University (FM only) 6.55 News and Weather

verum corpue: Talis Scholers under Phillips); Dvorák (The Water Gobiln, Op 107: SNO under Neeme Järvi) Austro-Hungarien Haydh Orchestra: under Adam Fischer); Rachmaninov (Prelude in G minor, Op 23 No

Composers or the week Hilliard Ensemble, London Baroque, Tallis Scholars, Fretwork with Michael Charice, counter-tenor, Davitt Moroney, harpsichord, under Peter

Philips perform Byrd's The Court of Elizabeth (Rejoice unto the Lord, Pavan and Two Galliards, The Earl of Galliards, The Earl of
Salishury; Come to Me Grief;
Pavana Bray; From Virgin's
Wombe; Browning a 5; O God,
the Proud Are Risen; Pavan
and Galliard, Sir William Petre;
O Lord, Mark Thy Servant)
9.35 Prokofiev: LSO under Malcolm
Sargent with Sir Ralph
Richardson, namator, performs
Peter and the Wolf.
10.05 Capricom: Palsiello (Flute
Quartet in D); Mozert (Pieno
Quartet in G minor, K 478)

Quartet in G minor, K 478) 10.50 Interval Reading 10.55 Capricom (contd): Milheud (Le Voyageur sans bagages); Hummel (Septett militaire in C,

Hummel (Septett militaire in C, Op.114)

11.40 BBC Scottish SO with Rispheel -Wallfach, callo, led by Geoffrey Trabichoff, under Laopold Hager performe Smetana (Overture, The Bestered Bride); Martinu (Callo Concerto No 1): Mozari (Decthors Septende) (1)

under Paul McCreesh
performs a sequence of music
for the Mass as it might have
been celebrated in Venice in
1620 centred on Morales's
Missa Mille regretz (f)
2.00 Williamson's Ballets
(Procession of Palms:
Worsester Festival Crossl

Naghtly News 12.30em Newsitte 1.30 Target 2.30 The Frank Bough Interview 3.30 Beyond 2000 4.30 Target

SKY MOVIES

6.00am Showcasa 10.00 The Princess Bride (1987). A young termer's boy tools himself itung headlong ato an adventure. Staming Cary Elwes and Robyn Winght 12.00 The Shartt of Fractured Jaw (1989): a Western scool about an Englanman

A Western spool about an Englishman (Kements alons) who takes on the job of shorts to a violent American town

4.00 Lensman — The Secret of the Lens:

4.00 Lensman — 110 caces of the business Segree-Scition carbon adventures 8.00 Rebecce of Summybrook Farm (1938): Shaday Temple stars in this retailing of Kalle Douglas Wiggin's classic childran's novel 7.40 Entertainment Toright

(Posthorn Serenade) (r) 1.00pm News 1.05 Gabrieli Consort and Players

12.00 News

RADIO 3

(s) sterec on FM 5.55am Shipping Forecast 6.00 News Briefing; Weather 8.1 Farming Today 6.30 Today, incl 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 News 6.55, 7.55 Weather 8.43 Memoirs of a Sword Swallower (s) 8.57 Weather

9.00 News 9.05 Call Nick Ross on trade unions: 071-580 4411 10.00 News; The Teachers: Sue Walton, year tutor at Washwood Heath

S.00 Emper Bloch: Krzysztof
Smietane, violin, and John
Blakely, pano, perform Violin
Sonata No 1 (r)
3.35 Mozart and Brahms: BBC
Philhamonic with Mikhail
Eletrey, plano, under George Pietney, piano, under George Hurst performs Mozart (Symphony No 38 in D, Prague, K 504); Brahms (Piano Concerto No 2 in 8 flat) Comprehensive School, deals comprehensive school, ceals with a spale of bullying 10.30 Moming Story: High Button Shoes, by Barbara Walters 10.45 Daily Service (s) 11.00 News: Citizens (s) 11.25 From Our Own Correspondent 11.50 Seaten Tracks: Roper Worslay.

4.55 Ivor Gurney Songs. 2: Gurney and the English Lyric: Alfreda Hodgson, mezzo, Keith Swallow, piano, with David 11.50 Besten Tracks: Roger Worsley explores four ancient highways (2 of 4) 12.00 News; You And Yours with

John Howard 12.25pm Trivia Test Match (s) 12.55 Weather 1.00 The World At One 1.40 The Archers (r) 1.55 Shipping

Swallow, piano, with David Mahlowe, reader, perform Gurney (To Violets; Brown is My Love; Shepherd's Song); Firzi (Who is Sylvia?; If Was a Lover and His Lass); Howells (King David); Gurney (Five Elizabethan Songs) (r) 5.30 Mainly for Pleasure with Anthony Burton Forecast 2.00 News: Woman's Hour: Vladimir Anthony Burton
7.00 News
7.05 Five Master Photographers: Pozner, a former diplomat in the Soviet Union, and Bette Bao Lord, who is married to a Gordon Parks, who came to prominence as a photographe for *Life* magazine, talks to fact Lord, who is married to a former American ambessador to China, telk to Helen Boaden 3.00 News; Thirty-Minute Theatre: A Knotted String and Woody Strode, by Helen Slavin (s) 3.32 The Tingle Factor: Peter Clayton talks about music that sends a shiver down his spine (a)

for Life magazine, talks to Colin Ford Droms 1990: Live from the Albert Hall, London. The BBC Welsh Symphony Orchestra led by James Clark under Bryden Thomson performs Elgar (Introduction and Alegro): Beethovan (Plano Concerto No 4 In G) 8.20 Stephen Johnson delves into Vaughan Williams's correspondence with the BBC 8.40 Vaughan Williams

Society and Cathedral Choir,

cetto and pieno: Timothy Hugh, cetto, Kathron Sturrock, pieno); (Sun into Darkness, Act 1: BBC Concert Orchestra

under Barry Wordsworth

with Paul Trepte, organ, under

8.40 Vaughan Williams (Symphony No-4 in F minor) 9.30 Drama Now: Woman in Blue, by David Chandler, Abandoned by Alma, Kohoschka creates a file-size Kokoschka creates a lite-size replica of his mistrees.
Starring Gerard Murphy, Kate Binchy, Jemes Greene and Maunice O'Calleghan

18.45 Rameau: Trio Sonnerie performs Pièces de claveoin en concerts: Suite No 5

11.00 Composers of the Week: Dohnanyi (Violin Sonata In C sharp minor; Phapsody No 4 in E flat minor; Piano Quintet in G minor) (I)

old fighter plane
1.15mm - Amityville III (1983): A reporter
moves into the notorious house
4.00 Setisfaction (1985): A female rock

4.00 Satisfaction (1986): A famale rock band meet a disillusioned old songwiter. With Justine Barerian and Liem Neeson. Ends at 5.30

5.00am As Sky One 6.30 Eurobics 9.00 Eurosport News 10.00 Baseball 11.00 Shoolar 12.00 Boxing 1.00pm Motorcycling Grand Priv. of Hungary 2.00 Termis: The Aschafferburg Cup 4.30 International Motor Sport 6.30 Spanish Goels 6.00 Eurosport News 7.00 Special Event: The 16th Sportsnight 9.00 WWF Superstans of Wresting 10.30 Motor Sport 11.30 Surfer Magazine 12.00 Golf: Swiss Open

SCREENSPORT

EUROSPORT . .

FREQUENCIES: Radio 1: 1053id-tz/285m;1089id-tz/275m;FM-97.6-99.8. Radio 2: FM-88-90.2. Radio 3: 12/5ki-tz/ 247m; FM-90-92.4. Radio 4: 198ki-tz/1515m;FM-92.4-94.6. Radio 5: 693/909m. Jazz FM 102.2. LBC: 1152ki-tz/261m; FM 97.3. Capitat: 1548ki-tz/194m; FM 95.8. GLR: 1458ki-tz/206m; FM 94.9; World Service: MW 848ki-tz/463m.

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6.30 Gorham and Swift (s) 7.00 News 7.05 The Archers 7.20 Relation Values (new se CHOICE: Evelyn Casonova is a matriarchal figure who, according to one of her sons,

sees her role as the Godmother of Cardiff and Tiger Bay in particular. She would never leave the bay where she has lived since she where she has lived since she was six and he's proud of her axtended rainbow family — "black, white, blond, ginger, you name it, we've got it'. In this first programme of the fourth run of the series, Membel O'Dommelt siles to

Michael O'Donnell talks to Evelyn's family and finds out how it holds together under the stresses of modern life. 8.00 Science Now (r)
8.30 When The Boat Came in: Nigel
Spivey, who helped resettle
Vietnamese refugees ten

years ago, talks about the experience (r) 8.45 in Touch: David Blunkett, MP, has advice for other blind .

9.15 Kaleidoscope: Includes an interview with A. N. Wisson and a review of his book A Bottle in the Smoke, and e feature on Sir Thomas More

9.45 The Financial World Tonight (s) 9.59 Weather 10.00 The World Tonight (s) 10.45 A Book at Bedtime:

Gallowglass, by Barbara Vine (4 of 10) 11.00 The Local Network 11.30 The Year in Question (s) 12.00-12.30am News, incl 12.20 Weather 12.33 Shipping Forecast (a)
4.00 News 4.05 Age To Age
4.30 Kaleidoscope (s) (r)
5.00 PM with Valene Singleton and
Hugh Sykes 5.50 Shupping
Forecast 5.55 Weather

FM as LW except: 1.55pm-2.00 Listening Corner (s) 5.50-5.55 PM (cont)

PADIO 5

 8.00am World Service: News and Twenty-Four Hours
 6.30 Morning Edition with Sarah Ward and Jon Briggs
9.00 Take Five: Children's holiday
entertainment with Tommy
Boyd
10.25 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 for toddlets
10.45 How We Lived Then: Life

6.00 Six O'Clock News; Financial

11.00 Citizens (as Radio 4) 11.25 Sound Advice: Guy

Michelmore takes a look at the small print of hire purchase 12:30pm Soundwaves: Alice Furlough takes tisteners on a whistle-stop tour of Paris

Twenty-four hours of rock and pop

LIFESTYLE

10.08am Coffee Break 11.00 Simply Marvel-fous 11.25 Spein Spein Holiday 11.30 The Edge of Night 12.00 Sally Jessy Rephasi 12.50 Body Talk 12.55pm Great American Gameshows 2.00 Diverso Court 2.30 Reministor Steels 3.20 Litestyle Plus 3.30 On Top of the World 4.00 Great American Gameshows 5.20 Tea Break 5.30 The Tony Randall Show 6.00 The Self-e-Vision Shop-one Chennel

BSB: THE MOVIE CHANNEL

· All films are followed by News and

2.30 World Service: 2.30 Health Matters 2.45 Europe's World 3.05 Outlook 3.30 Discovery 4.05 Sea Farers 4.35 Five Aside 7.20 Vox Pops: Programmes for children and young people: 7.20 Celebrity Stones: Glenda Jackson reads from Lutile

Women by Louisa M. Alcott 7.35 The Computer Nut 8.00 Fanshawe on Five 8.40 The Answerphone: 0345-909-693. Lines open from 8 pm 9.30 Hit the North

11.08 World Service: 11.08 Your World 11.23 Business Matters 11.38 The World Today 11.53 Words of Farth 12.00 Close

6.00 Twice upon a Time (1963): Animated

8.00 kmerspace (1987): A minaturised air

force fiver is injected into the body of a supermerket cierk. Starring Dennis Ouaid

and Meg Ryan 10.05 Heartbreak Ridge (1986): Starring Clin! Eastwood A Vietnam veteran is given

Carry Espandou A Visitation Veteral is given command of a rag-tag squadron 12.20am Barrly (1987) Story of the love affair between a writer and a fellow alcoholic Starring Mickey Rourke, Faye Outeway and

Alice Kinge 2.05 Med Mex (1979) Mel Gibson is the future cop confronted with horizor on the roads in the form of motorcycle gangs. Ends

GALAXY

et 3.45

ITY VARIATIONS

ANGLIA As London except: 6.25pm-7.00 Angla 12.40em Film Cattle Annie and Little Britches 2.30 Books by My Bedside 3.00 The Invisible Man 3.30 Entertainment UK 4.30-5.00 Anything to Declare

BORDER As London except: 1.50pm The Partridge Family 2.20-2.50 Sama Barbara 5.10-5.40 Home and Away 6.00 Lookaround Tuesday 6.30-7.00 Blockbusters 7.30-8.00 Nature Watch 10.30-10.40 Border News 11.40 Wolf 12.45am Firm. Salute to the Marines 2.35 Special Squod 3.30 Night Beat — The New Sessions 4.00 About Britain 4.30-5.00

CENTRAL

As London except: 8.25pm-7.00 Central News 7.30-8.00 Nature Watch 10.30-10.40 Central News 11.40 Worlds Beyond 1.35am The Tirre Tunnel 2.35 The Oldest Rookie 3.35 Famous Mystery Theatre 4.30-5.00 Central Joblinder '90

GRANADA

As London except: 2.50pm-3.15 Sons and Daughters 6.30-7.00 Granada Tonight 7.30-8.00 Nature Watch 11.40 The Sweeney 12.45am Film: Salute to the Mannes 2.35 Special Squad 3.30 Night Beat — The New Sessions 4.00 About Britain 4.30-5.00

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of the Night 12.42am Film: Salute to the Mannes 2.37 Special Squad 3.30 Night Blues 11.30 The Movie Show 12.00 The Bold and the Beautiful 12.30am The Outer

THE SPORTS CHANNEL

1.25pm Sportsdesk 1.30 Recng Today 2.00 Super Bours 3.00 Scottsh Football Maga-zine 4.00 The Main Event Tennis 6.00 Sportsdesk 6.30 The Great Sun Life Race 7.30 Sportsdesk 8.00 The Main Event 10.00 Racing Today 10.30 Sportsdesk 11.00 American Wrestling 12.00 Sportsdesk

10.30am VIP 11.00 American Business Today 11.30 European Business Today 1.00pm Living Now. Plat du Joor 1.15 Living Now Parenting 1.30 Gardener's World 2.00 The Long Search 3.00 Assignment Adventure 4.00 Bizzard's Cutdoor Toys 4.30 The Countryside Show 5.00 High Street 6.00 Gardener's World 6.30 Living Nov 7.00 Nins v The Reat 7.45 Fifteen Minutes from Now 8.00 Summer Edition 9.00 Your World 10.00 European Business Today 10.30 Living Nov 11.00 American Business Today 7.00am Superinends 7.30 Mb-lt 8.30 Bewinched 9.30 Laugnines 10.00 Time of Your Life 10.30 Time for Move Show 11.00 Physiobul 11.15 Mrs Papperpol 11.30 Mr Ed 12.00 Write of the Week 12.30pm The Bold and the Beautiful 1.00 The Goodies 1.30 Hart to Hart 2.30 The Young and the Residess 3.30 Physiobul 3.45 Mrs Papperpor 4.00 Danger Boy 4.30 Kda Incorporated 5.00 Mrs-lt 8.00 31 West The Entertainment Show 5.30 Time of Your Life 7.00 Tel Oceth Us Do Part 7.30 Laugntines 8.00 Ohera 9.00 La Timata 9.30 The Last Laugh 10.00 Growing Pains 10.30 Hall Street 7.80cm Superinends 7.30 Mix-lt 8.30

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NETWORK 2

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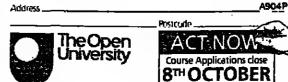


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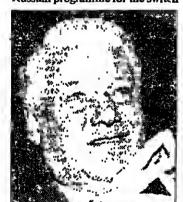
From Mary Dejevsky in moscow

LEADERS of the Russian Federation yesterday threw down their gauntlet to the central Soviet government, insisting that they would press ahead with a programme of rapid economic decentralisation regardless of whether agreement was reached with Moscow. The Russian president, Boris Yeltsin, and his prime minister, Ivan Silayev, said that major points of conflict still existed between Russia and the central authorities on the demarcation of

responsibilities.
In the Kremlin, meanwhile, President Gorbachev made it clear that he intended to retain central control by naming three members of existing central bodies to handle implementation of particularly sensitive areas of the economy. Deputy premier Lev Voronin takes responsibility for ensuring the successful completion of the harvest, preparations for winter and remedying supply problems in cities and industrial centres.

Deputy premier Yuri Masl-yukov, who is also head of the State Planning Committee (Gosplan), is entrusted with ensuring that contracts between enterprises are honoured in the coming year, and Mr Gorbachev's chief ally, Aleksandr Yakovlev, who is a member of the Presidential Council, is to review relations between central and republic-level institutions in matters relating to law and order. The three new appointments indicate the Soviet leadership's concern about the nationwide collapse of economic structures. They also represent an attempt by President Gorbachev to retain central control over a situation fast slipping out of its

Opening the Russian parliament, the Supreme Soviet, Mr Yeltsin, said that his three-week tour of Russia, which took him to the Urals, the mines of the far north and the Pacific coast, had convinced him that there were almost no prosperous regions left in the country. "Living standards continue to fall," he said. Mr Yeltsin said that the draft of the Russian programme for the switch



Yeltsin yesterday: living standards continue to fall

to a market economy, known as the "500 days" programme, should become the basis of an inter-republic economic agree-ment. He said he hoped the determination of Russia to im-plement radical measures might nudge the centre into more decisive action.

The "500 days" programme, originally drafted by Mr Yeltsin's economic advisers for the Russian rederation alone, has been adapted for nationwide application over the past month by a working group headed by Stanislav Shatalin, one of President Gorbachev's chief advisers. The Shatalin group, whose work was overseen jointly by Mr Gorbachev and Mr Yeltsin, has been compet-ing with the Soviet government's team to produce the single pro-gramme for presentation to the Soviet parliament next week.

The Russian prime minister yesterday set out the main provisions of the "Shatalin" or "500 days" programme, specifying also how they differed from the central government's proposals. Although summaries of the "500 days", many of them speculative, had been published before, this was the first time any detail had been given, and some of the 250 deputies seemed shocked by the speed and apparent risks.

There was a rumble of disapproval when Mr Silayev said that the programme would make everyone personally responsible for their own well-being and that of their families. They would be given the opportunities and then work will be the best guarantee of

living standards and prosperity".

Key proposals include a 1½ year
period of "stabilization", during
which the legislative basis of the market economy is to be laid. That period is to include massive selloffs of state property, the gradual freeing of most prices - except those of about 120 designated "essentials" - and strict controls on credit and the mooey supply to streogthen the rouble. Legislation scheduled for this Russian parliamentary session includes provision for small farms and private

Mr Silayev said that the "500 days" stipulated the republic as the maio unit for economic legislation, with only limited powers delegated to the centre. The republic would have the authority to set prices, and the annual budget. The centre would monitor inter-republic ties and oversee customs and border regulations.

He said the programme proposed an ioter-republic economic committee to oversee implementation nationwide. There would be hefty cuts in spending on defence, the KGB and capital construction. This is the first time cuts have been specified in the



Tribal greeting: Pope John Paul II being welcomed to Songea, in sonthern Tanzania, by Ngoai dancers. He urged Africans to rise ahave poverty, corruption and injustice blighting the continent during a mass yesterday (AFP reports from Songea). The Pope, visiting this isolated town on the Mozamhique border on the third day of his ten-day African tour, tald a crowd of 25,000 that many developing countries had lost the optimism of the early days after independence from colonial rule. The failure of development was evident in continuing hunger and malnotrition, the plight of refugees, and the lack of health care, he said. Many problems could be solved if there was a new attitude, diametrically opposed to a desire for profit and thirst for power, he said, calling for commitment to solidarity.

esperation and fear in the camps

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much on the Jordanian authorities, who evidently have few resources, but oo their own governments. "No one has been to see us since we came two weeks ago," an Indian woman said with tears in her eyes as a great crowd pressed around us, desperate for proof that someone was taking notice of them. Many had towels on their heads as protection from the sun. "There is hardly any food or water," the woman said. "We are dying and none of the dip-lomats io Amman has come to see us. I cannot understand it."

Refugees from the Indian subcootineor, the Philippines and Thailand held out grubby pieces of paper bearing messages for their families, pleading with us to telephone or telex them and get

Most of the refugees are living io makeshift tents made of bedspreads, with piled-up suitcases for support. A few, the more fortunate, have battered cars aloogside the encampment. Rotting garbage lies between the tents. Even now, tormented by the

heat and the lack of water, the

WORD-WATCHING

A daily safari through the language jungle. Which of the possible definitions is correct? By Philip Howard

FEBRILE . Feminin . Feverish e. Easily broken OATSY

a. Porridge scon b. Full of beans

e. An oasihnuse

h. Tn poleaxe
 c. A three-masted vessel

a. Loaded dice b. Lights out at Harrow

c. Turkish light cavalry

Answers on mage 18

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Asian refugees - many of them educated middle-class professionals bewildered by their fate - retain an air of civility and decency. "But I fear there will

soon be a breakdown of morals," an Indian computer engineer said. "Please ask our governments to do something." As we spoke, scuffles were already breaking out at a queue where exhausted Asian women were fighting for a trickle of water from a oewly arrived water tank.

When night falls, violence breaks out, with desperate refugees using stones and knives. "The nights are the worst," one Swiss doctor said. "The very cold nights coming after intense heat naturally cause illness. Then there are

Shaalan camp holds some are unsure of the exact number and another camp nearby, dubbed Shaalan 2, holds some 20,000. The customs post at Ruweished is beginning to return to oormal as officials slowly process the stream of refugees and send them to Amman for flights home. On the way to the border I passed a long

WEATHER

line of buses and cars travelling the other way, their roof-racks piled high with precarious moun-

tains of suitcases, bags, carpets, pot plants and bicycles. But most refugees are penned up in the transit camps in the no man's land between Ruweished and the Iraqi frontier. Some, including a large group of Sri Lankans, have air tickets, visas and money to get home, yet cannot leave the camp, which is

guarded by soldiers. Others are destitute, and have oo hope of getting out unless their own governments organise au airlift. "There is no one in charge here," said Saifee Surti, a 28-yearold exchange dealer. "I left everything in Kuwait City, and only had time to draw a little cash from the

making for the border because many who had done so had died in the attempt "A lot of bodies came back to Kuwait City." Mr Surti said. He said one Pakistani man had taken his family to the border with Jordan, only to have his wife raped by Iraqi soldiers and his two teeoage daughters abducted.

Much of England, Wales

gineer said he did not even have documents to prove who he was because he was a British passport holder "and it is not wise to be British in Iraq. I hid the passport and left it. I have no money, no

documents, oo food." Jordanian officials said that the United Nations Disaster Relief Organisation, which describes the situation in the refugee camps as "dangerous", had been asked to step up its help. UNDRO officials said that, unless evacuees were airlifted out soon, "the situation will be out of control".

Crown Prince Hassan yesterday repeated his urgent appeal for aid, saying conditions in the camps were intolerable. The director of the health department, Dr Atallah Assad, said the refugees were living in sub-human conditions and only 18 "sanitary units" were available at Shaalan 1. He said it was only a matter of time before disease spread into an epidemic. Jordanian officials said the world community had promised mil-lions of dollars in aid, "but in reality we have hardly seen a penny of it".

Syria and Libya blamed for bomb

Continued from page 1

people. A similar bomb to the one on UTA Flight 772, also packed in on UTA Flight 772, also packed in a Samsonite suitease, was found on a Jibril terrorist. Habib Masmar, arrested in France after planting bombs in 1984 and 1985 at the Leumi Bank and Marks & Spencer in Paris, killing one person and injuring 18.

Erench sources believe that the

French sources believe that the destruction of Flight 772 was a warning to France from President Assad. Syria was furious with what President Assad saw as French interference in Lebanon in 1989 when the French backed General Michel Aoun's Christian army against the Syrians and the Leba-nese Muslims, including the Iranlinked Hezbollah terrorists - the so-called Party of God responsible

for the Rue de Rennes blast. The Brazzaville-Paris flight was selected as a target for a number of reasons. Airport security in the Congo is virtually non-existent and the touchdown at Ndjamena would allow the bomb-carrier to

Colonel Gadaffi had a perfect courier - Mr Mangatany, who was opposed to the Congolese regime and had been a guest of Colonel Gadaffi in Libya in January 1989. Flight 772 on September 19 was picked for another reason; booked on it was the head of the Libyan opposition in exile — Yusuf al-Magariaf, leader of the National

Front for the Salvation of Libya. The attack was carried out by Mr Mangatany and an associate named Mr N'Galina, now known to be in Zaire. The pentharite and the sophisticated detonator are believed to have been taken into

the Congo in late August 1989 in the Libyan diplomatic bag.

At the same time, the Libyan People's Bureau in Brazzaville gained a new "diplomat" — Abdallah Elazrag — in reality, one of Colonel Gadaffi's top bombancar by a diplomat and the same and the makers. He and two others oversaw the assembly of the bomb, which was packed into the Samsonite suitcase. Mr Elazrag left the Congo on the same day that the UTA plane was blown up. Mr Mangatany was told that the bomb would explode while the DC10 was empty on the runway during the stopover in Chad. In fact, the Libyans knew that Flight 772 would not be empty until it reached Paris and the bomb was primed to explode after take off from Ndjamena, high above the sands of the Tenere desert in

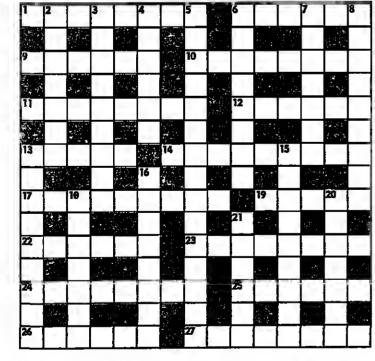
Niger.
Although Mr Mangatany's family, living in a quiet suburb of Brazzaville, say that be died in the explosion, none of the remains identified were his. And why, M Bruguière must have asked himself, would anyone stay on board a plane knowing that a bomb was about to explode? There seems little doubt that Mr Mangatany was among the nine Congolese nationals who left the aircraft in Chad, of whom only five have ever been traced.

One other lucky individual that day was Yusuf al-Magariaf. He never checked io for Flight 772.

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ACROSS

- 1 Girl introducing Mahler's First has the right instrument (8). 6 Like the Cornish student involved in a church movement
- 9 Unoccupied state prison beside 10 Criminal causing anxiety in a country many abandoned (8).
- 11 Fellow gets the sack it protects the lower members (8). 12 Bank messenger engaged in smuggling? (6).
 13 Part of buffet identified as mal-
- 14 Servani giving king or queen help when crossing river (9). 17 Hooligans meeting carrier may be thus over-ridden (9). 19 The fish-server's share (5).

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- 23 Reviving friend participating in boxing match? (8).
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- yobbo, say, with besitation (6).

 26 To bring back the cal is 8 bit of 8 gamble (4-2). They dig up outdated blood groups, say. (8)
- DOWN 2 Oblivious of a conflict in 8
- French setting (7).

 3 First-rate fish has crisp brown
- Proposal to direct by gesture (6). Title of a baron very like Brutus (5,10).6 Company keeps torn letters for comparison (8).
- 7 Fairy queen, one a giant over-looked (7).
- 8 Round conveyance on narrow hill-top (9). 13 Prescience not initially great in Arden, perhaps (9). 15 It's spoken in Kerala, whichever
- way you look at it (9).

 Greek writer without a sense of vocation consumed seafood (8). 18 Opens out, making university
- new catalogues (7).

 20 In hand-to-hand combat, they say, the shell has to win (7). 21 Hustle discomposed Holmes,

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for one (6).

and Northern Ireland will have sunny intervals and showers. Most of the showers will be in the north-west, with some well-sheltered areas staying dry. As the day goes on, the showers will tend to die away with many places dry by nightfall. Scotland will also have showers and some bright or sunny intervals. Temperatures near normal. Outlook: Sunny spells and showers.



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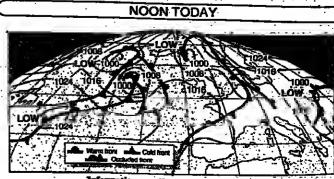
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BUSINESS

THE TIMES

Executive Editor David Brewerton

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 4 1990

Too early to discuss business says RUG

● SPORT 34-38

ANDREW Lloyd Webber's Really Useful Group yes-terday extended its condolences to the widow of Robert Holmes à Court, the Australian businessman who died at the weekend (Gillian Bow-ditch writes). Mr Holmes a Court, who had a 6.6 per cent stake in RUG, had been thwarting Mr Lloyd Webber's attempt to take his company private and the two had been portrayed as business rivals.
Patrick McKenna, a direc-

tor of RUG, said: "It is far too premature to discuss business matters in light of the family's grief. I have had the opportunity in recent months of getting to know Mr Holmes à Court and am deeply shocked and saddened."

Mr McKenna said the relationship between Mr Hol-mes a Court and Mr Lloyd Webber had been cordial. Mr Lloyd. Webber's buyout ve-hicle, Jorraban No 26, has 92 per cent of RUG and was attempting to persuade Mr Holmes à Court to accept the 233p a share offered to others.

Mr McKenna said: "Whilst our offer for RUG has officially closed, we now own 92 per cent of the shares and of course remain interested in acquiring all minority shareholdings in view of our stated intentioo to fully privatise RUG. The delisting process is already under way with the stock exchange."

The decision whether to sell the stake in RUG is for Janet Holmes à Court, Mr Holmes à Court's widow. But Mr Derek Williams, chief executive of Heytesbury UK, Mr Holmes a Court's private British company, was reported as saying "Nothing is for sale" and the companies would be run as

ASW payout up

ASW Holdings, the Cardiff steelmaker in which British Steel has a 20 per cent interest, is raising its interim dividend from 4p to 4.5p after reporting. pre-tax profits of £21.1 million (£20.1 million). Turnover was £251.9 million (£235.1 million). Current trading is satisfactory, and cash balances stand at £16.5 million.

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THE POUND

US dollar ... 1.8720 (-0.0210) W German mark 2.9643 (-0.0190) Exchange index 94.3 (-0.7)

STOCK MARKET

FT 30 Share 1687.4 (-6.2) FT-SE 100 2166.6 (+3.8)

New York Dow Jones

Tokyo Nikkei Avge 25420.43 (-557.94) Closing Prices ... Page 24 Major indices and major changes Page 25

INTEREST RATES

London: Bank Base: 15% 3-month Interbank 1431:2-144% 3-month eligible bills: 1411:2-145:6% US: Prime Rate 10% Federal Funds 816%† 3-month Treasury Bills 7:38-7:36%† 30-year bonds 9717ac-9791a†

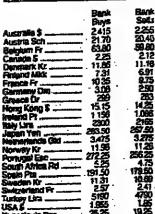
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NORTH SEA OIL

Brent (Oct) \$28,75bbl (\$26.40) † Denotes Friday's close TOURIST RATES



pi Price Index: 126.8 (July)

Oil hits \$28.55 and sterling falls as hopes fade

OIL prices climbed sharply that Saddam Hussein was yesterday as hopes faded of a playing games with people's diplomatic solution to tension lives." diplomatic solution to tension

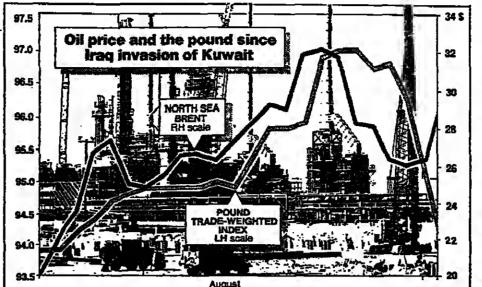
in the Gulf.
In London, October Brent rose \$1.85 to \$28.55 a barrel in was closed for Labor Day.

Petroleum products also rose sharply. The September contract for gasoil futures traded \$21 higher at \$262 a

Paul Spedding, an oil analyst at Kleinwort Benson Securities, said: "We had a looking to increase stocks. The phoney peace last week. Over market is going to the weekend it became clear very tight," he said.

The oil market failed to find comfort in a report from the Middle East Economie Surthin trading - its highest level vey, suggesting that Saudi since the Organisation of Arabia's crude oil production Petroleum Exporting Coun- will average 7.65 million bartries agreed new quotas — as rels a day in September, dealers maintained their pos-replacing more than half of the replacing more than half of the itions while tension rose again four million barrels lost as a in the Middle East. New York result of the embargo oo Iraq and Kuwait.

However, Mr Spedding forecast that Opec would find it difficult to make up the full amount lost through the embargo. The west is heading towards the time of the year when oil companies would be



STERLING tumbled further contrast to the trade of all oo the foreign exchanges, where virtually all the gains made since the iovasion of Kuwait at the beginning of August have now been lost.

The pound was sold most strongly in the Far East yesterday, but recovered slightly in London. By the close, sterling had dropped more than 2 cents against the dollar to \$1.8705 and by 1.5 pfennigs 10 DM2.9624.

The Bank of England's sterling index, which started August at 93.9 and peaked at 97 ten days ago, fell a further 0.7 points to 94.3, after touching 94.2 early in the morning.

The sharp August rise was geared closely to the rise in oil prices, which benefits Brit-ain's balance of payments, in

other leading currency countries. The August advaoce came at the end of a long steady recovery in the pound against the dollar and the mark since a Budget-time low in March, sparked particularly hy the government's newfound enthusiasm for fixing the currency within the European Monetary System.

That raily had appeared to be petering out before the invasion. The oil effect finally wore off after sterling's surge provoked worries about its effect on industry, leading to a time when Japanese rates rose, and warnings that inter-national economic uncertainty might delay entry into

Pöhl hard line over bank independence

By GRAHAM SEARJEANT, FINANCIAL EDITOR

ident of the German with the plan put forward by Bundesbank, has persuaded European Community central banks to take a hard line on the independence of a future. European central bank.

This could undermine the political momentum for rapid European Monetary Union and a single currency by causing a rift between bankers and national governments.

"The governors are of one mind on major issues. In

experience of West Germany over monetary union with make Germany much more an an instrument of policy. ally of Britain on the issue than seemed likely a few

said he wondered if a single European currency and cen- a spectacular lessoo in this tral bank "are really quite as important as they are made

surprise collapse of a deal to

sell its lighting division to the

down to 623p, a fall of 34p oo

Citing a confidentiality

agreement with GTE, Thorn

to the £300 million expected.

for the year.

John Major, the chancellor, to have an evolutionary system the time being and agreed with Mr Major that the economic cost of an inferior European system would be greater than December. the savings from having a

Germany, Theo Waigel, the In a speech to the free ister, said: "In cootrast to the market Mont Pélerin Society in Munich, Herr Pohl, chairman of the committee of EC plan for European economic and monetary union should be a speech to the first plan for European economic and monetary union should be drastically shortened.

"On the contrary, we must particular, we are agreed that reinforce the community's cohistorical experience shows operation in the area of ecothat monetary stability can oomic and financial policies
best be expected of a system and test its ability to function
which is independent of polinical interference."

Herr Pohl, in a passage Herr Pohl, in a passage The speech reflects the echoing the caution of Mrs sons, a modern, efficient cen-

Thatcher and even Sir Alan Wahers, said that inflation in of the instructions and pres-East Germany, which has different EC countries must increased worries over the also come down to a common and European institutions. pace of EC monetary union. level before they could give up These doubts are likely to changes in exchange rates as Otherwise, he said: "The adjustment process would fall

months ago.

In an apparent reference to particularly on company the cuthusiasm of Jacques and ever-increasing public transfer payments would be transfer payments would be transfer payments. man monetary union provides respect."

out to be in some quarters", give an interim report on his added.

Thorn EMI shares at low

after sale talks collapse

By JOHN BELL, CITY EDITOR

THORN EMI shares dropped loss of 800 jobs in Britain. sources business, lamps and

American GTE Corporation. lighting sale follows another ing the Sixties and Seventies.

Dealers marked the shares abortive disposal when it "Our cost structure, compar-

the day and £2 below the high tions from the market last and restricted volumes make

Thorn would need to with-

draw from the manufacture of

restructuring of the business

statement that he was dis-appointed at the breakdown of "The major issue centres on of £32.9 million on a turnover

were under way.

to a low for the year after the Forther cost-saving measures

Dealers marked the shares abortive disposal when it

sources would say only that some lamps but that the

there was a failure to agree fittings business, which last

terms in an increasingly un- year accounted for two-thirds

certain economic climate. An- of the division's turnover, had

alysts believe that GTE was excellent potential. There

not willing to offer a sum close would need to be fundamental

Mr Colin Southgate, Thorn to meet the increasingly

EMI's chairman, said in a competitive conditions in the

KARL OTTO Pohl, pres- He said he still had sympathy committee's plans for a European central bank to the The plan will be published European Monetary Unioo

The Bundesbank has long argued that any community central bank must not water down the power and independence that has helped keep inflation down in West Germany and made the mark the auchor of the European Mooetary System.

Other central bank governors, notably Robin Leigh-Pemberton, Governor of the Bank of England, now appear to have joined the West Germans in rejecting democratic accountability as it exists in Britain and most other

"If only for practical reatral bank must be independent sures of national governments Protracted consultation and concertation are inconsistent with the requirements of the financial markets," said Herr Pōhi.

Individual central bank governors, who would be members of European central hank council, would also need personal and professional in-dependence. "Nationality should take second place to the task with which these On Saturday, Herr Pöhl will officials are entrusted" he

light bulbs, suffered from a

lack of investment in plant

adequate return on invest-

which would be required to

take the business forward," he

An extraordinary provision

would be charged against the

current-year results to cover

the one-off costs associated

with the resructuring pro-gramme. Last year the lighting

business made trading profits

Bankers. But Credit Lyonnais, which has talks for two months with the banking

shines but

after making it.

past four years.

Persimmon fights housing slump



of Persimmon, the York-based house- Davidsoo announced interim pre-tax first six mooths, Persimmon completed builder, said yesterday he was not sure profits to June of £15.5 million, down

DUNCAN Davidson, above, chairman for two full years and a bit more." Mr less money, said Mr Davidson. In the the sale of 971 homes, 26 per cent up oo what stage of the housing cycle the almost £700,000 on last year. Despite the last year. More than 1,000 sales were housebuilding business had got to. "I nationwide slump in house sales, completed, exchanged or reserved in the hope we're bumping along the bottom. Persimmon's profits had been all but second half. The interim dividend is Certainly we have been in the downturn maintained by selling more houses for increased to 2.3p (2p). Tempns, page 23

price falls

AN AGGRESSIVE expansion policy over the past year encouraged Polly Peck International, the fruit trading, electronics and leisure group, to produce a 71.5 per cent increase in pre-tax profits from £64 million to £110.5 million for the six months to

Higher profits, however, did not boost the share price which ended 6p lower at 285p after touching 304p. Analysis said investors were still wary of the group after Asil Nadir. its chairman and biggest shareholder, last month withdrew a bid approach five days

After he backed away from the offer, the stock exchange produced a report criticising Mr Nadir for his capriciousoess, which caused wild share price fluctuations.

At yesterday's meeting he denied there was any official investigation into his company as a result of the exchange's commeots, or into Polly Peck's possible association with several Swiss companies which traded heavily in the company's shares over the

Interim profits in the company's three main divisions were higher compared with the same period last year while overall turnover climbed 72 per cent to £880 million. The dividend rose by lp to 5.5p a share.

Hendersoo Crosthwaite, the stockbroker, have raised their estimate of Polly Peck's full year pre-tax profits to £245 million, or slightly less than earnings of 48p (40.6p) a

Polly Peck Goodman needs more loans By OUR BANKING the company was wound up.

CORRESPONDENT

GOODMAN International, the Irish meat group that has been granted legal protection from its bankers, oceds to borrow another Ir£200 million (£181.82 millioo) by November to complete the beef slaughtering season.

·Goodman's banks are aland would face an estimated nual total. Unless the killing is tra borrowings. shortfall of Ir£200 million if completed successfully, many

They are, however, expected since it will rank as senior to any previous debt. It has become clear that

the hrunt of the earlier lending.

Goodman needs the funds to slaughter an estimate 1.5 million cattle in the next two ready owed Ir£660 million months, half of Ireland's an- underwrite the company's ex-

of Ireland's farmers would be financially at risk, since they to provide the extra funding depend on Goodman's tradition of paying them on the day they sell the cattle.

The Irish government will Continental banks have borne help in the operations by making intervention funds from the European Community available to buy Goodman's beef carcasses. But it will not, as previously hoped,

Beef debacle, page 23

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talks. The group would accellight sources and is essentially of £573 million. which had already led to the lem," said Mr Southgate. The Comment, page 23 Comment, page23 Foreign bankers reject criticism

The failure to complete the and market development dur-

withdrew its defence opera- atively low plant efficiencies,

November, Mr Southgate said it difficult for us to produce an

BANKING CORRESPONDENT

FOREIGN bankers in the City have angrily rejected claims by the British clearing banks that they are guilty of forcing companies into receivership because of short-term lending policies and say they are being asked to "rubberstamp" rescue packages without being given full information on the company.

The chairmen of Barclays, Lloyds,

Midland and National Westminster

Banks are believed to have complained

to the Bank of England about foreign

bankers who are reluctant to join

refinancing schemes for companies in

promble, at an informal meeting of the

Committee of London and Scottish

in the past been singled out for criticism after its refusal to support a rescue plan for Parkfield, the crashed video supplier, and its reluctance to extend credit to Laura Ashley, denies the charges.

"We are quite willing to take part in support operations as long as all banks are treated equally and if we consider the support is worth it. "We consider we are a bank which

plays an important role in this country and we do not want to rubberstamp agreements when we do oot have full access to information. We have also seen the clearing banks improving their position in a company," said M Jean-Claude Goubet, the head of Lyonnais's London branch.

should be best managed. This follows the failure of some large support schemes, like that at British & Commonwealth, after the withdrawal of a minority of The Bank, it is said, believes the problem is a general one and no single section of the banking community is at

community on how rescue packages

oomic downturns in 1973 and 1980, and far more vulocrable to the withdrawal of a minority of lenders. The Bank is maintaining its role of

fault. Lending syndicates are far larger

than they were during previous eco-

bringing banks together and urging them to allow the company and its lead creditors time to work out details of The Bank of England has been having rescue packages.

By GRAHAM SEARJEANT, FINANCIAL EDITOR

shown a 1 per cent rise in July, but the official end-July index previous quarter. has been revised from 123.6 to
124.1. Over the three months

In July, consumers took on
£3.91 billion of new borrowto the end of July, the volume ing, including £2.28 billion on of retail sales was 0.25 per cent credit cards, compared with a above the previous quarter entirely due to a 2 per cent rise ing £2.21 billion card credit in in food sales - and 1.75 per June. The outstanding level of cent higher than the same finance house lending to busiquarter last year.

higher than in the same month a year ago, compared with a Infolink, the credit refvolume rise of 2.7 per cent. Figures for credit business

food. Outstanding consumer credit from credit cards, fi- from the big fall in June.

THE volume of retail sales nance houses and building rose 1.3 per cent between June societies (excluding house and July, more than at first purchase) rose £140 million to thought. Final figures show £28.5 billion, compared with a that, after the 2.6 per cent drop rise of £200 million in June.

recorded by official figures in

June, half the fall was recovered in July.

Provisional figures had million previously. New lending rose 4 per cent over the

revised £3.72 billion, includness, much of it for retail The money value of retail stocks including cars, fell £163 sales in July was 9 per cent million to £10.6 billion in July, the biggest drop ever. erence agency, said that credit enquiries on the motor sector in July give further evidence in July were 4.3 per cent up on of the slowdown in sales of July last year. Other retail consumer goods other than credit enquiries, though well down on a year ago, recovered

PML restricts holders after share enquiry

PML, the USM clothing designer, has disenfranchised Kitcat & Aitken, the broker, nominee holders of about said the 212 notices repre-640,000 shares, representing 7 per cent of the share capital, after new management came who have not disclosed bene-

PML, which this year launched an emergency rights issue nominee accounts there was after a profits collapse, said 14 nominee accounts represent- added. If the restrictions are ing 0.9 million shares had not not effective in forcing benecomplied with section 212 ficial holders to disclose, the notices requesting the infor- company will seek a court mation. About two thirds order to have the shares have been disenfranchised.

Anthony Baker, of Carr, sented a "tidying up exercise" into the company last year. Despite the high proportion of the share capital held under "no hint of stakebuilding", he

HK retailers put brave face on sales figures

From OUR CORRESPONDENT IN HONG KONG

RETAILERS in Hong Kong low base of comparison. are putting a brave face on disappointing sales in the first half and an uncertain outlook for the rest of the year.

Sales volume rose 11 per cent in June, but was 1 per cent lower for the first six months compared with last year, according to the latest retail figures.

was due to an exceptionally are not good."

Businesses in Hong Kong were severely hit after the massacre of students by Chinese troops in Tiananmen

Square in June last year. Russell Kwok, the chairman of Hong Kong's Retail Management Association, said he expected sales to improve despite higher costs resulting from events in the Gulf. He The favourable June figure, added: "Inflation is our bigwhich represented an 18 per gest worry. Freight charges cent increase in value to and insurance costs have al-HK\$9.4 billion (£646 million), ready gone up. The prospects

COMPANY BRIEFS

LINREAD INT Pre-tax: £1.66m (£1.55m) EPS: 8.9p (8.43p) Div: 2p (1.8p) PENDRAGON INT Pre-tax: £3.14m (£2.6m) EPS: 10.1p (8.4p) Div: 1.8p (-) CHURCH INT Pre-tax: £1.9m (£1.7m) EPS: 10.9p (9.5p) Div: 3p unchanged VISTA ENTS FINAL

Pre-tax: £21,000 profit EPS: 0.26p (loss 0.51p) Pre-tax: I£2.3m (I£1.7m)

Div: None (-) UNIDARE INT EPS: 12.09p (10.55p) Div: 3.9p (3.55p) Company still looks forward to reporting "satisfactory" results for the full year despite higher interest charges.

Despite depression in the new vehicle market — expansion and progress are expected for the rest of the year.

Church has suffered from difficult retail trading but has enjoyed excellent results from manufacturing.

Results compares with a £180,000 loss a year ago. Company is confident of growth both organic and by acquisition.

Company finds forecasting difficult because of the recent events in Gulf. But company hopes to benefit from an increase in N Sea investment.

NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF FRIENDS' PROVIDENT LIFE OFFICE will be held at 15 OLD BAILEY, LONDON, EC4M 7AP, ON THURSDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER 1990, at 2 p.m. when the following resolution will be proposed

SPECIAL RESOLUTION

THAT the Rules of the Office be and are hereby amended:-

(1) by inserting at the end of the definition of "person insured" in Rule I(1) the word "and" and the following new sub-

"(e) for the avoidance of doubt, where a policy is effected with the Office but liability thereunder shall have been assumed by or pursuant to an order of a court of competent jurisdiction by a company which is, or as a consequence of or pursuant to such order becomes, a subsidiary of the Office, such policy shall be deemed for all purposes of the rules to be a policy effected with

> By Order of the Directors, B. W. SWEETLAND, Secretary. 4th September 1990

Principal Office: Friends' Provident Life Office, Pixham End, Dorking Surrey, RH4 IQA

NOTES

1. Any member entitled to attend and vote at the extraordinary general meeting may appoint a proxy, who need not be a member, to attend and on a poll vote on his or her behalf.

To be valid the proxy form must be completed and deposited, together with any authority under which it is executed or a copy of such authority certified notarially, with the Secretary at the Principal Office of Friends'
Provident Life Office not less than 48 hours before the
time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting or, in the case of a poll, not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for the taking of the poll. Forms of proxy may be obtained from the Secretary at the Principal Office quoted above.

Acquisitions help Perkins Foods leap 92% to £7.1m

PERKINS Foods, which moved from the unlisted securities market to the main market in May, made a pre-tax profit of £7.1 million, np 92 per cent, for the six months to end-June, on sales 32 per cent higher at £94.2 million.

The group, which last week announced that its £28.9 million convertible preference share rights issue had flopped with only 10 per cent take up, saw fully diluted earnings per share rise by 32 per cent to 4.1p. The interim dividend is

np 7 per cent to 1.5p. The first half has been a period of consolidation, and the integration of five companies acquired last year played a big part in the profits

Sales in the fruit and veg-etable division grew significantly, and by sourcing from a wide range of different countries it has been able to take advantage of the extremes in weather conditions during the early part of the year.
The mushroom division

had a disappointing first half as a result of lower sales. The frozen food division per-formed well with sales of pizzas and potato products particularly strong.

The group has £13 million in cash, which contributed £900,000 to profits, and Perkins intends to use the money to concentrate on organic profit growth through investment in capital projects as well as making acquisitions.

Howard Phillips, the group's chief executive, said the company is finding more opportunities to export to Eastern Europe. So far it has means the group is now 111p.



East Europe boost: Howard Phillips, chief executive been unaffected by the tension dealing with institutions that

in the Middle East.

customers," he said.

do not invest in USM stocks. "The only worry is rising A main market listing also petrol prices but that is one makes the group's shares more cost that we can pass on to our marketable to Dutch invesustomers," he said. tors. Perkins has strong busi-Mr Phillips said that the ness links in the Netherlands. move to the main market Perkins shares rose lp to

Staff buy Parkfield division

By JONATHAN PRYNN

Group, the entertainment and engineering company that went into administrative receivership in July, has been bought out by management in a £34.5 million deal.

The division, which is being

renamed United Pressing and Fabrication (UPF), was built up by Parkfield over the past four years through a string of acquisitions in the West Midlands. Senior management, led by

utive vice-president of manu- of the new company, said the 1,000 people.

THE pressings and fabrica- facturing for the Parkfield deal was "conservatively tions division of Parkfield Manufacturing Group, will structured with limited Group, the entertainment and take a minority stake in UPF gearing". while Phildrew Ventures, the Bank debt is being provided

venture capital firm, will ac- by National Westminster and quire a majority holding. The buyout team fought off mediate Capital Group.
"strong competition" from UPF, which is being bought on a multiple of about nine

trade buyers, said Mr Evans. times earnings, has sales of more than £50 million and is The buyout team is paying £28 million for UPF but is also raising £6.5 million for the largest independent car chassis manufacturer in Britinvestment in production facilties and expansion into ain. new markets. Robert Jenkins,

UPF's headquarters are in a partner of Phildrew Ven- Wolverhampton and the company employs more than

Toast to Invergordon



Hong Kong brain drain increases

From LULU YU IN HONG KONG

than expected amid worries China in 1997.

idents plan to settle overseas this year, 13 per cent more than the 55,000 predicted for 1990, and nearly 50 per cent up from last year. The official forecast for 1991 is 58,000, with the exit rate expected to level out at about 60,000 every

vear until 1997. The figure of 60,000 a year does not seem very large for a tions or expertise population of nearly 6 million, fill posts vacated.

HONG Kong's best brains are but its cumulative effect is emigrating in larger numbers very worrying, especially when those who emigrate are about the colony's return to mainly senior managers and professionals," said Sarah Tang, research director of vesterday that 62,000 res- Hong Kong's Institute of Personnel Management, a

company which regularly sur-veys the brain drain. In Hong Kong's workforce of about 2.2 million, 220,000 have professional or managerial jobs. Businessmen's main worry

is that those who stay behind may not have the qualifications or expertise necessary to

Li 'motivated by greed'

Kong high court trial of Ronald Li, former chairman of the colony's stock exchange, said he was motivated by personal greed when allegedly accepting preferential shares in Cathay Pacific Airways and Novel Enterprises. He allegedly accepted them

THE prosecution at yes-granting the two firms listings terday's opening of the Hong on the local bourse when he was chairman. Mr Li, aged 60, who denies

two charges of corruption, was arrested in January 1988. The hearing was adjourned until

The trial is expected to last about six weeks. Mr Li was released on bail of HK\$7 in 1986 and 1987 in return for million (£500,000).

DR CHRIS Greig (above), the managing director of Invergordon Distillers Group, which returned to the stock market in May, has every results. Invergordon disclosed pre-tax profits of £8.2 million for

the first half of 1990 (£5.4 million) and has forecas £21.3 million for the full year. The interim dividend is 2p and a 3p final looks likely.

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Profits fall to £6m at **Emess**

EMESS, the lighting and electrical accessories group, suf-fered a 27 per cent fall in pretax profits to £6 million during the six months to the end of June on turnover 22 per cent higher at £81.8 million. The results include net

exceptional income of £1 million in respect of profits on assets acquired for resale, offset by write-downs of inventories and receivables. The interim dividend is increased from 1.2p a share to

1.3p, payable from fully di-luted earnings of 3p a share, against 3.90. Despite the setback, Michael Meyer, the chairman, said he was "cantiously optimistic" about prospects for the second half of the year. Commercial lighting companies made good progress but British decorative lighting operations reported sales

down 8 per cent and a sharp fall in profitability. We have representation in all the key sectors of the lighting fixture industry with manufacturing and distribution in Europe, North America and the Pacific," said Mr

"With 60 per cent of our business now outside Britain. we believe our strategy will prove to be sound over the medium term.

However, he gave warning that a stronger pound and higher interest rates had combined to create uncertain trad-

ing conditions.

While maintaining tight control over costs and working capital, our businesses do need a positive environment in which to flourish," In January, Emess acquired

the 70 per cent of Royal Sovereign Group it did not aiready own for £12 million, recovering £8 million through the sale of the company's interests in stationery and graphics wholesaling. JSB and Marlin, Emess

subsidiaries, completed projects in Moscow. JSB supplied emergency lighting for Pizza Hnt and Marlin providing equipment for the Ismailova Hotel.

American-based Alsy experienced a 15 per cent decline in revenue because of the soft retail market and plants in Long Island, New York state, were closed and relocated to Pennsylvania.

Mercedes puzzled by Spanish request

puzzled by a request from INI, Spain's state-owned holding company, for Bonn to approve a blocked takeover bid of Empresa Nacional de Auto-Spains' economics ministry

said in the official gazette that Instituto Nacional de Industria (IN1), the owner of Enasa. had asked Bonn to approve a joint takeover by Mercedes and MAN Nutzfahrzeuge, the truck unit of MAN. There is really no basis for

a ministerial approval any longer as MAN cancelled the co-operation some time ago," said a spokesman for Mercedes, the car unit of Daimler-

The takeover had been blocked by West Germany's federal cartel Office in July on the grounds that co-operation by MAN and Mercedes in Spain would affect competition in West Germany. Under West German law the economics minister can overrule the cartel office if the deal is deemed of national

The joint bid, which had been worked out in close cooperation between 1N1 and the two West German vehicle makers, was strongly favoured by the Spanish government.

The plan called for MAN to acquire 60 per cent of Enasa and Daimler 20 per cent. 1NI would retain 20 per cent and would have taken a 10 per cent stake in MAN.

MFI, the furniture group which was rescued by its bankers with a £95 million package a year ago, made a pre-tax loss of £3.5 million for the year to end April, compared with a £65.6 million profit the previous year, but the group made a pre-tax profit of £5.3 million in the second half compared with a loss of £8.8 million in the first half. Turnover for the year fell from £602 million to £595 million and the operating profit was 40.1 per cent lower at
£55 million. The group had an interest bill of £66.2 million and after tax and extraordinary items the loss was £9.2 million, down from a profit of £45.8 million.
RENTOKIL Group, the environmental to property services group, has completed the acquisition of the New Zealand, Anstralian and Canadian tropical plant units of Brierley Investments for £11.8 million in cash. In the year to June 30, the sales of the businesses are completed pro-tax profits up 21.5 per cent to £6.66 million. The interim dividend

rises 10 per cent to 3.025p a

share, payable from net carn-ings of 14.526p (13.382p).

bought were NZ\$30 million (£9.7 million), with pre-tax profits of NZ\$4.2 million. Betacom suffers loss

BUSINESS ROUNDUP

during second half

MFI climbs into profit

BETACOM, the telephone distributor, has announced losses of £589,000 at the pre-tax level for the six months to end-June. The company made a £512,000 profit in the same period last year. Turnover for the first half was £7.29 million, a 9 per cent rise on last year. There is no interim dividend but the company said it would review the situation at the yearend. Dennis Baylin, chairman and chief executive, said the first two trading months of the second half had shown a "considerable improvement" with steadily rising gross margins. The company plans to launch up to 12 new models during the second half, and is seeking product approvals in-Holland and Germany.

Redland arm LVMH plans in acquisition note issue

also has an option to acquire Schiedel's businesses in Aus-tria on January 1 for DM60 million cash. Schiedel supplies prefabricated chimney

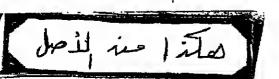
REDLAND, the construc- LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis Vnitton, the French tion materials group, said Louis Vnitton, the French Braas, its West German luxury goods group, which subsidiary, had acquired the was authorised by sharebusinesses of the Schiedel holders in June to raise Fr5 Group in Germany for billion to help fund the DM90 million cash. Braas purchase of shares in Guinness, is studying an issue of perpetual floating-rate notes. A total of Fr1.25 billion is planned to be spent on zerocoupon bonds for a trust.

Goodhead down 27%

LOWER advertising income trimmed pre-tax profits at Goodhead Group, the newspaper printer and magazine publisher, 27 per cent to £4.02 million for the year ended May 31. Turnover rose from £61.2 million to £78.4 million after two acquisitions in the publishing division. Administrative expenses rose sharply, reflecting higher interest charges. Gearing rose from 30 per cent to about 60 per cent.

Of the company's four activities, the paper division showed the only improvement in profit, climbing from £495,000 to £794,000 based on an increase in turnover from £9 million to £14.6 million. The final dividend was steady at 3.75p, making 5.5p for the year.

LONDON TRADED OPTIONS



In the City, mistakes can be measured with some accuracy, and the uncharacteristic foulup by Asil Nadir of Polly Peck during the last month has cost each shareholder at least 50p a share, possibly more, or some £200 million in total. Had Nadir not opened his mouth out of, turn, the market would simply concentrate on the fact that, once again, Polly has brought home profits above expectations for the half year. Analysts are lifting their forecasts for the full year, but they are doing it without generating much enthusiasm for the shares, despite their apparent cheapness on all the con-

ventional yardsticks. Nadir's ill-considered comments that first he might, and then he wouldn't, buy the outside shareholders out of their investment, has set back sentiment towards the company a decade. The price/earnings ratio is down among the housebuilders rather than up with the overseas earners, and all the old questions are being given an outing at the shareholders' expense. Nadir says on the interim statement that he regrets that anything he

Nadir can look to US for support

did could be the subject of criticism, and he does seem genuinely puzzled by all the fuss. He confirms his "wholehearted commitment to the continuing growth and success of the company remains undiminished". Only a profound cynic would

fail to believe Nadir's promise, but in the present circumstances, promises are not enough. The investment community requires information, and Polly is found wanting. The sources of profits has never been clear, and in the light of all the problems of the Gulf, investors are nervous of that which is not clear. Nadir says the group's exposure to Iraq and Kuwait is minimal, but that still leaves Turkey, and there is a suspicion that a fair slug of profits comes from interest on funds in Turkish institutions. After all, interest rates of 50 per cent or more are available, but with high rewards come high

But there are signs that the

COMMENT

DAVID BREWERTON

need to reassure, if not inform, and the statement that the remainder of the year will be bighly successful ought to bring some comfort. Similarly, the need to reduce financial gearing, while self evident at a company with £880 million of debt and less than that of tangible assets, is acknowledged. How, though, is not addressed, but at least the share price is too weak for a rights

The shares have now attracted a variety of "sell into strength" tags among some of the brokers. and are unlikely in the short term to pass the hurdle of 300p. But there are buyers, most of them on the other side of the Atlantie. Like Michael Ashcroft of ADT,

management does recognise the Nadir may find that his best friends are not over here, but over there, where, euriously, rather more seems to be taken on

Thorn shock

These days, the only thing certain about Thorn EMI is that it is unpredictable. Its management has changed, hugely for the better, but the group has retained in full its capacity to surprise. Easily the biggest was an absurd bid for British Aerospace in the early Eighties. City wits said that Thorn's expertise in consumer electronics and BAe's in defence would produce a superb game of space invaders.

The flirtation with microchips via Inmos was another flight of fancy that produced little benefit for shareholders. Thorn EMI's chairman, Colin Southgate, has spent much time since 1985 in selling more than 60 companies while re-investing much of the £1 billion or more raised in purchasing 30 more.

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Yesterday brought yet another surprise with news that the lighting division, the business of which the group's founder, the late Jules Thorn was most proud, would not after all be sold to GTE of America.

The initial decision to sell was yet another change of heart at corporate HQ. Just over a year after identifying it as one of the three core businesses, Mr Southgate revealed that talks were in progress with GTE over the sale of the lighting businesses. Within a year, the so-called core activity had become somehow too dependent on British markets, and Thorn too small to slug it out

TEMPUS

internationally with giants like Toshiba, General Electric of the America, and our own GEC.

Unluckily for Thorn's image. there was another enforced change of tack last year when the group placed a "for sale" notice on the defence operations and later, after no satisfactory offers emerged, withdrew it. Whatever one thinks of these gyrations, the lighting sale would have relieved Thorn of almost all its debt and focused the group even further.

But it was not to be. During the lengthy process of negotiation and due diligence by GTE, the short term outlook for lighting was deteriorating. The consumer, eorporate and local authority market have been weakening.

Thorn must now tackle the long haul towards cost cutting, easing itself from the cut-throat sectors of the lamps market and beefing up those parts of the fittings market where it comes close to being in the world league. But in the short run this will be painful. While lighting made £33 million last year, few analysts expect as much as £20 million

THE financial crisis at Larry Goodman's empire threatens the already fragile Irish heef industry. At risk is a business that generated Ir£1bn (£905 million) in exports last year and provides a living for 90,000 farmers.
Rumours about the finan-

cial bealth of the Goodman companies had been growing ever since the traci invasion of Kuwait on August 2. Despite this, many people were surprised when Desmond O'Malley, the Irish industry and commerce minister, re-vealed the full extent of the debacle to a special session of the Irish parliament last week.

Mr O'Malley said that Goodman International, Mr Goodman's main operating company, had short-term unsecured bank borrowings of Ir£460 million. In addition there was a further lr£200 million in bank guarantees on specific beef supply contracts of Goodman International.

The gravity of the crisis facing Mr Goodman can be gauged by the fact that he put aside his passion for secrecy to provide the Irish authorities with the financial position of his companies. All had forgone limited liability in order to avoid publishing accounts.

While Goodman's borrowings soared over the past two years, partly to fund the purchase of stakes in Berisford and Unigate in Britain, he was also hit hard by the failure of the Iraqis to pay for Ir£180 million of beef he supplied.

Goodman International was owed in£203 million by other Goodman companies. As a result of the losses sustained by Goodman on his Berisford and Unigate shareboldings, the latter of which has been sold, and the fall in value of his London properties, no more than Ir£90 million is thought to be recoverable,

If Mr Goodman's horrowing position is serious, the other side of his balance sheet is also under severe pressure. Goodman International is 97 per cent owned by Goodman Holdings. At end-1989 it had a net worth of Ir£273 million. However, this did not include any large provisions for the

Iraqi debt or the other losses. The export figures alone do not show the true significance of the beef industry to the Irish economy. In 1989 beef exports were worth Ir£810 million. Add in various European Community export refunds Cold comfort this winter in Goodman cattle yards



The Irish government is hoping that last week's emergency legislation, which protects Larry Goodman (above) from his creditors, will provide it with a breathing space to sort out some of the problems facing the country's beef industry.

Ir£1.2 billion or about 6 per Ireland produces six times

more beef than it consumes. The Irish livestock and meat board estimates that 1.55 million animals will be slaughison, the domestie market will

and the value of these exports While EC price supports climbs to Ir£1 billion. The have raised the price of Irish plants this winter. total value of the beef industry beef, they have been a mixed to the Irish economy is about blessing. Such supports have thonty given to Peter Fitzalso raised prices available to cent of gross national product. other community producers with the result that Irish beef has found it difficult to penetrate continental markets.

The result was a growing dependence on Middle Easttered for export or exported crn markets, mainly Iran, live this year. That is the Iraq, Libya and Egypt. Last equivalent of about 500,000 year 42 per cent of Irish beef tonnes of beef. By compar- exports went there. This rising dependence on the Middle take about 200,000 carcasses. East coincided with the grow-

ing dominance of the Irish beef industry by Mr Good-man. His market share is now over 40 per cent. In 1989 Goodman International had a claimed turnover of Ir£905

million, 4.5 per cent of GNP.
The Irish banks escaped relatively lightly from the whole affair. Only Ir£58 million of the Ir£460 million owed is due to them. Bank of Ireland has the heaviest exposure at almost Ir£24 million, NatWest's Irish subsidiary has Ir£17 million, and AIB Ir£10 million. Overseas banks were the worst hit. Lloyds is owed Inf27 million, Barclays Inf.7 million, Commerzbank Inf.35 million, Commerzbank Inf.35 million, Crédit Agricole Inf.33 million and Crédit Lyonnais Inf.20 million.

The Goodman crisis is not girthy political implications.

without political implications. On its return to power in March 1987, the government of Charles Haughey restored cover for Irish exports to Iraq via export credit guarantees. Goodman companies were the main beneficiaries.

Mr O'Malley, then in opposition, attacked the extension of cover to Iraq. When Mr Haughey was forced to take Mr O'Malley's Progressive Democrats into coalition after the June 1989 election, Mr O'Malley became minister for industry and commerce. He removed Iraq from the list of countries eligible for cover and voided insurance policies on Irish exports of beef to Iraq for 1987 and 1988. Mr Good-

The emergency legislation passed last week allows for an examiner to investigate a company and protect it from creditors on the lines of the American Chapter 11 provision. The immediate task he faces will be to persuade the banks to provide the Ir£200 million of working capital needed to fund the slaughter of 300,000 cattle in Goodman

While the High Court aupatrick of the Dublin office of Coopers & Lybrand, the examiner, to borrow up to Ir£25 million for working capital takes some of the pressure off the group, Goodman faces an arduous task if it is to make it through the coming winter.

> DAN WHITE Deputy Editor, Business and Finance.

Persimmon steps up sales

PERSIMMON, the Yorkbased housebuilder, continues its swan-like progress. Above the water-line, Duncan Davidson, the chairman, gives every appearance of coping with the worst bousing market for decades with the utmost serenity. Below water, though, one suspects that lesser executives are paddling away like fury.

The combined result is impressive and certainly warranted yesterday's 9p rise in the share price to 163p.

Six months ago, Mr David-son said that his formula for surviving the bousing slump would be to sell more houses for less money. He has delivcred precisely that,

In the six months to June, Persimmon sold 971 homes, 26 per cent more than in the first half of 1989. But as prices fell and the company increased the number of first time units, the average selling price went from almost £75,000 to less than £70,000. The result was that interim pre-tax profits slipped by less than £700,000 to £15.5 million.

Although Mr Davidson admits to being unsure where we are in the bousing cycle, be is confident enough to recommend a 15 per cent increase in interim dividend to 2.3p (2p). The grounds for confidence

appear sound. Gearing is under tight control, having risen by just 1 point to 32 per cent since the year end. And there it is likely to stay unless some bargain-priced opportunities come up. Interest cover is more than

eight times while the dividend, despite the increase, is covered more than five times. The company also seems happy with the value of its

9,000 unit land bank. Not for Persimmon the luxury of making provisions now in an effort to make future margins look better. Only if the housing market deteriorates significantly further will the company write down values.

But it is the sales executives, paddling furiously away, to whom shareholders should be grateful. Their effints have already resulted in 1,000 bouse sales being either completed, exchanged or reserved for the second half, putting the



company on target for pre-tax profits of about £30 million. On a p/e of under seven the market, has enabled it to go on recent fall in the share price offers a fresh buying op-

Invergordon

IN the 12 weeks since Invergordon Distillers Group returned to the stock market, the shares have given the very model of a performance, tracking the market as elevely as any.

When prices reacted to the escalation of events in the Gulf last month, IDG shares slid to 120p, but, yesterday, as Dr Chns Greig prepared to unveil the group's first results since going public, they were just 1p below their flotation price, at 134p. The FT-SE 100 120 per cent come the yearwas just 13 points below the level of IDG's debut in early distiller).

looks likely to make the £21.3 million it forecast at the time ASW Holdings nf the float. The 5,000 investors who mopped up the issue can expect the 2p interim dividend to be followed up by a 3p final.

generally are flattening out,

through chains like Safeway and Tesco, in the nwn-brand picking up market share. Further out it can expect to benefit from a strong push into Europe. It has recently agreed to supply one of the major west German supermarket chains, a deal it believes will lead into eastern

Meanwhile, not only is the industry as a whole benefiting from stronger pricing, has IDG is seeing its margins improve as the expensive stocks bought in during the 1980s are run down.

Europe.

The group would still like a brand name, but will not pay tancy prices, aline ing will be down from a pre-

The shares, on a prospective Scarcely a figure is out of p/e of 11.8 times, are not place in the results, and IDG expensive.

ASW Holdings may be adept at making money out of steel, but it is not so smart at making money out of money as results for the six months While whisky volume sales to end-June demonstrate.

Pre-tax profits at £21.1 mil-IDG's strong presence, linn against £20.1 million are

(£21.2 million) of nperating profit, and a £300,000 credit compared with a £1.1 million charge - earned on interest received.

The nperating margin from basic steel operations at 8.25 per cent (9 per cent) was a reasonable performance in a perind when turnover in the dominant British sector fell by 9 per cent to £169.3 million. Margins were also lower because of recruitment.

The British element of turnnver is now down from 79 per cent to 67 per cent of the total pie as in-roads into Europe continue to be forged.

The disappointment lies in

the mere £300,000 earned on cash balances of £16.5 million.

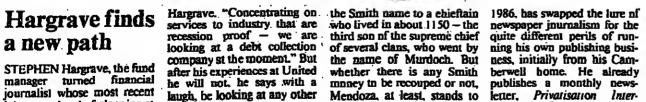
The impression is that ASW merely bolds its cash in a petty cash drawer, though it says the modest return reflects the need to plough at least £11 million into funding a higher debtor book. Continental debt collection takes at least three months as opposed to two in

None the less, the modest dent in pre-tax profits during difficult economic times is somewhat compensated for hy the rise in the interim dividend from 4p to 4.5p a share. likely. ASW has so far managed to escape the price competition which racks the end suppliers. It is also relaxed with a DM3 exchange rate.

Contrary to what otherwise might be expected, ASW says current trading continues "at satisfactory levels", so the market is looking fir year-end pre-tax profits of £43 million against £40.4 million.

The shares have been poor performers since June, falling from a peak 296p tn trade yesterday at 223p. However, the prospective p/e of 6.9 and yield of 7.5 per cent are not

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job was as head of planning at United Newspapers - report-QUOTE of the year...-Achim Muth, West German Telekom spokesman, describ-ing the difficulties of linking ing directly to the company's chairman, Lord Stevens - is finally fulfilling his ambition to become a businessman in the telephone networks of East and West Germany, said: "It's his own right. Hargrave, aged 34, ex-Warburg, Save & Prosas if a four-lane autobahn suddenly turned into a rural per and the Evening Standard, left United four weeks ago and dirt road." has bought a 23.2 per cent stake in Pathfinders, a small Nice little earner unlisted securities market company, which has an employment agency outlet in Maddox Street, specialising in media vacancies. "I've found

COMMON though it is, the name Smith could soon be worth its weight in gold - at least as far as a firm of London consultants is concerned. For my shell," declares Hargrave, the company, Montague Bains who also achieved some suc-Du Cann, which describes cess as a novelist when, two years ago, he published London London: He has enitself as a specialist in "financial reclamations" has set up a tered inlo this new venture trust to search for cash, shares and other treasures which may with Luke Johnson, aged 28. be lying unclaimed - unthe former smaller companies claimed by members of the and media analyst at diverse Smith clan, that is - in Kleinwort Benson, and be-Iween them they speak for 29.9 per cent of Pathfinders, after investing £250,000 of an equal share of any money their own money. The balance recovered, in return for a £20 fee, but it may take a while to of the 72 per cent bolding being sold by the company's trace the lost fortunes. "There founding family has been are millions lying around in placed with institutions. "We dormant accounts," says intend to pursue acquisitional Howard Mendoza, the managand organic growth," says ing director, who has traced

the name of Murdoch. But whether there is any Smith mnney to be recouped or not, Mendoza, at least, stands to 800,000 Smiths in Britain company would receive £16

Private venture RODNEY Lord, Economics

Editor of The Times for the past four years, until his departure last week, is branching out on his own. Lord, aged 44, who spent three years at the Treasury as a special adviser to Nigel Lawson before joining The Sunday Times and then The Times in



of several clans, who went by ning his own publishing business, initially from his Camberwell home. He already publishes a monthly newsletter, Privatisation Intermake a fortune. For if all the national, for accountants. merchant bankers and governwere to beed the call, his ments charging £350 annual company would receive £16 subscription. There is something similar in the US, hut much smaller, and dealing with American privatisations only," says Lord. "There doesn't seem to be anything dealing with the subject on a global basis." After reading history at Oxford University, Lord spent 13 years with the Daily Telegraph and it was after a brief spell as a leader writer there that the Treasury approached him. "I bope to now gain a bit of control over my life," says Lord, who will be available for consultancy and adds that be hopes to be able to rekindle some old hobbies, including sailing and playing the trumpet - perhaps even his own, if his husiness venture succeeds as planned. Predator prey

TIMES must be hard. John-

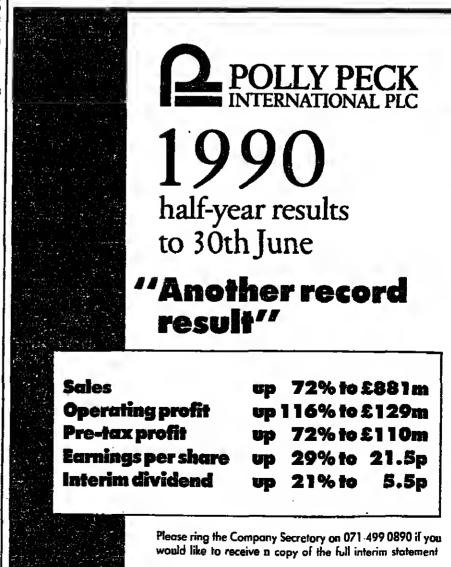
perate to sell at almost any Hurricane Hugo. price. The business expansion scheme fund, aptly named

Predator, sports a steely-eyed eagle on the cover of its prospectus. This improves nn the picture of a vulture, which was withdrawn after protests from Christopher Castleman. chief executive of LIT, owner of Johnson Fry. "I bad thought of putting a shark on the cover," says Fry, aged 50. "But some people thought it was too aggressive."

Haven at Hilton

HILTON International, the hotel group owned by Ladbroke, may have been sorry to see the management contract on the Kuwait Hilton come to an end two years ago, when the hotel was taken back by the Kuwaiti government. The Hilton in Baghdad, the Iraqi capital, was closed down 20 years ago. But Michael Hirst, the chairman and chief executive of Hilton International. is not shedding any tears. For Hilton's other hotels are benefiting from events in the Gulf. The Bahrain Hilton is now bome to many ex-Kuwait residents. Hirst says the hotel chain is affected by political activity or natural disasters every year. He calculates that the chain would have made an son Fry, the investment group additional £6 million in profrun by Charles Fry, has its had it not been for the dreamed up a fund to buy Tiananmen Square massacre, property from developers des- the norising in Trinidad and

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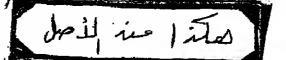
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WORLD MARKETS

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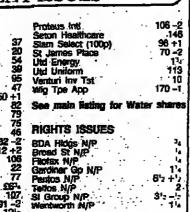
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STOCK MARKET

Volume slumps to low for year

THE number of shares traded on the equity market slumped to another low for the year. with investors watching events in the Middle East and worried by the pound's continued fail.

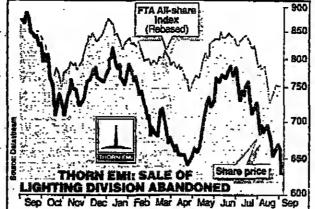
As the final leg of the long three-week trading account got under way, investors stayed on the sidelines. Wall Street was closed for the Labor Day holiday.

Day holiday.

An early mark-up of prices in thin conditions was prompted by activity on the fintures market, where the FT-SE 100 index September series continued to trade at a healthy premium. But dealers said there was little follow-through in the cash market, where prices closed below their best. The FT-SE 100 rose 3.8 points to close at 2,166.6, having been almost 14 points ahead early in the session, while turnover slumped to a year's low of 221 million shares. That compares with the pretraded last week. The FT 30

index fell 6.2 points to 1,687.4. Fading hopes of an early cut in interest rates left govern-ment securities with losses of Among "leaders, British Aerospace rose 12p to 544p as the Famborough Air Show got

under way, but there were losses for the likes of Marks and Spencer, down 4p at 233p.



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Musterlin, the publisher, held steady at a low of 45p amid speculation that another rights issue may be contemplated soon. In November last year, the group raised £3.6 million by way of a rights at 160p. But in April, the shares halved as profits collapsed from £1.12 million to £384,060.

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shares, which lost 34p to close activity continue to put a Polly Peck, the fruit packer dampener on sentiment. Last and electronics group, failed week, brewer Greenall Whit-ley, down 4p at 219p, an-nounced the closure of its brewing interests after failing to find a suitable buyer. well added Yesterday, Thorn EMI added to the closure of its from £64.4 million to £110.5 million, against most market estimates of £92 million. Anwith the help of a stronger oil to the gloom, with the news alysts expressed concern ever, takeover favourite

about the group's high level of Dalgety, the Spillers food debt and the absence of news group, fell 3p to 355p as bid about the separate fintation of its Del Monte food business.

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Last month, the shares were sent reeling by a Stock Exchange enquiry into a proposed bid for the company that failed to materialise. They had been trading close to their peak of 450p, but have fallen as low as 243p.

Persimmon. housebuilder, pleased the (£5.4 million). market by reporting interim figures only £700,000 lower at £15.5 million. The shares responded with a rise of 9p to 163p. But Halls Homes and Gardens, the conservations and garden buildings group, and high interest rates and garden buildings group, tumbled 33p to 55p after not belped. But Goodhead issuing a profits warning. The Group, the free newspaper publisher, lost 3p at 73p after a publisher, lost 3p at 73p after a publisher in ore-tax profits from better than break even.

Really Useful Group rose 4p 10 240p. It followed the death of Robert Holmes à Court, the Australian businessman, at the weekend. Mr Holmes a Court held a 6.6 per cent in the company and was bolding out against the decision of Andrew Lloyd Webber, the composer, to take the company private again. A spokesman for Mr Holmes à Court's interests said no change in pobcy was planned. At the last account, Mr Lloyd Webber had received acceptances for his offer of 234p a share totalling 91 per cent. How-

hopes suffered a setback, Mr Holmes à Court also held a joint 5.2 per cent stake in Dalgety with Elf Aquitaine of

Invergordon Distillers beid steady at 134p after reporting interim figures in line with market expectations. Pre-tax profits for the six months to June 30, were £8.2 million

Linread, the industrial fasteners group, rose 2p 10 150p after reporting pre-tax profits of £1.65 million (£1.55 million). The group says traddrop in pre-tax profits from £5.57 million to £4 million. Colin Rosser, the chairman, blamed the downturn on advertising revenue in the publishing arm and a lower

contribution from design. Henry Ansbacher, the merchant bank, fell 8p to 73p after its three biggest shareholders, Pargesa Holding, Groupe Bruxelles Lambert and Banque International à Luxembourg announced they would not sell their 61.6 per cent holding in the company. They blamed events in the Middle East and ditions in Britain.

BBA buys **American** plastics company

By JONATHAN PRYNN BBA Group, the automotive. industrial and aviation services and components company, has announced its second American acquisition

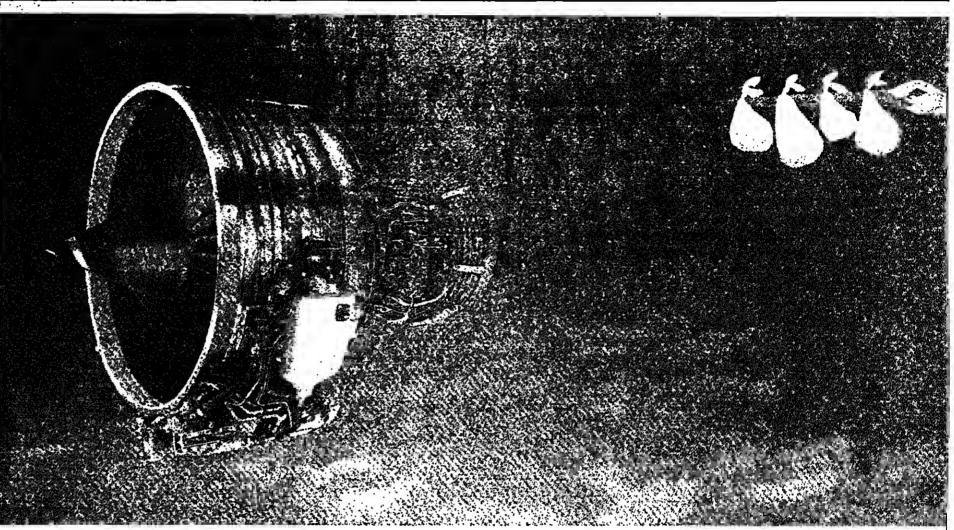
in six weeks. The company is paying the Hillman Company \$31.8 million for Texstar, its Dallas, Texas, plastic components and composites maker. In July, BBA spent \$23 million on Van Dusen, an airport

services group. The Texstar acquisition is being financed through an issue of 11.96 million BBA shares, which will give Hillman a 4.99 per cent stake. Peter Clappison, BBA's finance director, said Hillman has indicated to BBA that it intends to hold the shares as a long-term investment.

in the event of the deal not receiving regulatory clearance from the American defence department within a year of the closing date, BBA retains the option to sell Texstar back to Hillman for a cash sum equal to the value of 11.96 million BBA shares at the time

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hould complex fraud con-tinue to be tried by juries? This question was at the heart of a working party report to the Bar Council published last week and prepared against the background of intense interest in the Guinness trial. Had the four defendants been acquitted, no doubt there would have been a hue and cry to reassess, if not to reintroduce, the recommendation of Lord Roskill's Committee in 1985 that trial by jury in cases of serious and complex fraud should be replaced by trial by a tribunal consisting of a judge and two lay members.

The laymen were to be selected from a panel of 150 to 200 people chosen for their knowledge of financial matters. In the event, the four defendants have been convicted of most of the charges that they faced. Yet there has already been an editorial to the effect that the length and cost of the trial reinforces the argument that a system of random choice of lay jurors from the general population is not the best way of bringing fraudsters to book.

What are the most important considerations? Are they length and cost? The working party accepts their relevance and relative importance, but rightly accords far greater importance to the reliability of and public confidence in jury verdicts. Nobody is likely to make the sort of imprecations against the Guinness jury LEGAL BRIEF

The Guinness case has placed the spotlight on

whether juries are equipped to handle complex fraud cases, Roger Henderson, QC, reports

to be levelled at a triumvirate. Had there been outright acquit-

tals by a select three-man court, no doubt the result would have been condemned as an establishment whitewash and public confidence io the system would have been impaired. Upon conviction by such a court, the defendants could correctly have pointed out the extent to which they had been disadvantaged by comparison with others charged with serious non-fraudulent offences susceptible to comparable terms of

Of course, juries can make mistakes. So can judges. But ordinary people can reasonably expect that 12 citizens selected at random will not be willing to convict unless they are convinced of a defendant's guilt. The same confidence is unlikely to be reposed in a judge alone or in a judge sitting with two specially selected laymen. As Lord Devlin said: Jury trial is an insurance that the law and prosecuting process conforms to the ordinary man's idea of what is fair and just and is the

anny." The fear is that there will be acquittals where there should be convictions in the terms of the Roskill report, that fraudsters will not be brought to book. The implementation of many of that committee's other recommendations must be given time to be tested. If fear of wrongful acquittal is to be dispelled or to be proved. there needs to be some hard evidence, either that serious and complex fraud cases are not being pursued at all because the prosecuting authorities consider

In so doing, I hope that it would also be possible to investigate pretrial causes of delay. However, the department and others are hamstrung in obtaining evidence of what goes on within the secrecy of a jury's retiring room. Section 8 of the Contempt of Court Act 1981 makes it a contempt of court to seek to obtain such evidence. As long as research into the quality of jurors' deliberations is in effect

that a jury would be unable to

master the arcane subject matter,

or about how juries deliberate in

prohibited, any judgment on the subject is necessarily imperfect.

A carefully planned research project is required and the 1981 act requires amendment. Without that, the impressions of prac-titioners and observers will be susceptible to criticism, particularly that the evidence is anecdotal. Only if there is reliable evidence that the guilty - and that begs the question - are not being prosecuted or are being acquitted, will abandonment of the jury system in complex fraud cases become arguably justifiable.

That is not to say that improvements do not need to be made and a number of these are suggested in the report to the Bar Council: The removal of financial penalties upon jurors in long cases by making material improvements in their compensation for loss of

• The removal of the right to be excused from jury service between 65 and 70. · A special court centre or courts

equipped, designed and of a size sufficient to aid speedy and convenient complex fraud trials. Enhancement of jurors' retiring facilities.

 Guidance to jurors about notetaking. Increased resources for police fraud squads.

 A specialist panel of judges. Cootinuing education for counsel in this field of work. The report does not address judge or trial by a special jury. These, also, should only be re-evaluated if the evidence is made available that permits reasoned criticism of the quality of jurors' deliberations.

allowed to sit on a jury, and judges

The Guinness trial, decided by jury: Ernest Saunders, foreground, with his co-defen

Rosson (to his left), Anthony Parnes and Sir Jack Lyons. The jury sits to the right of Justice Henry

other possibilities that were unanimously rejected by Lord Roskill's committee, such as trial by a single

Since no barrister or solicitor is

are chosen only from their ranks, it can only be by the opinions of practitioners, judges and informed observers that juries are judged. On the basis of evidence from practitioners, the report concludes that juries se-lected entirely at random can in all classes of case, including complex fraud cases, be expected to return sensible and just verdicts.

I agree, but I would prefer to have reliable and cogent evidence to justify that view and I have a lurking doubt about whether the quality of deliberations is as high as it would be if there were a requirement that a panel of jurors must include, say, six people of 40 or more years of age.

• The author is chairman of the public affairs committee of the Bar.

Law Report September 4 1990 Court of Appeal

Court cannot use European law to override sex bias compensation limit

Marshall v Southampton and South West Hampshire Area Health Anthority (Teaching)
(No 2)

majority (Lord Justice Dillon dissenting) when dismissing an appeal by Miss Helen Marshall from the Employment Appeal (No 2)

Before Lord Justice Dillon, Lord Justice Butler-Sloss and Lord Justice Staughton

[Judgment July 31] The English court did not have power under European law to override the limit placed by section 65(21 of the Sex Discrimination Act 1975, as compensation awardable for unlawful discrimination. as article 6 of Council Directive 76/207/EEC of February 9, 1976 on the implementation of the principle of equal treatment for men and women as regards access to employment, vocational training and promotion, and working conditions IOJ 1976 No L 39 p401 did not have

Tribunal (Mr Justice Wood, Mr

R. J. Lewis and Mr R. H. Phipps! ([1990] ICR 6) which had allowed an appeal by Southampton and South West Hampshire Health Authority (Teaching) from the inclusion by an industrial tribunal, in an award of compensation, of a sum for interest. Leave to appeal to the House of Lords was

Section 65 of the 1975 Act provides: "(1) Where an indus-trial tribunal finds that a complaint presented to it . . . is well states shall introduce into their founded the tribunal shall make national legal systems such measuch of the following as it sures as are necessary to enable considers just and equitable — all persons who consider them-

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pay ... if the complaint had fallen to be dealt with under

Subsection (2), as amended by, respectively, section 125(1) of the Employment Protection Act 1975 and section 159(2) of the Employment Protection (Consolidation) Act 1978

The amount of compensathe amount of compensa-tion awarded to a person under subsection (1)(b) shall not ex-ceed the [limit for the time being imposed by] [section 75 of the Employment Protection (Consolidation) Act 1978

Article 6 of Council Directive 76/207 provides: "Member states shall introduce into their considers just and equilable— all persons who consider them... (b) an order requiring the respondent to pay to the complainant compensation of an amount corresponding to any damages he could have been pursue their claims by judicial in reserved judgments by a ordered by a county court...to process after recourse to other

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS

competent authorities".

Miss Marshall in person; Mr authority: Mr David Pannick as omicus cunae.

LORD JUSTICE DILLON said that Miss Marshall had been employed by the health authority as a senior dictician. She was dismissed at the age of 62 because she was a woman. Had she been a man her employment would have continued at least ontil the age

She claimed that she had been the victim of unlawful discrimination under the 1975 Act. But since section 6(4) provided that the prohibition of discrimination by an employer on the ground of sex did not apply in relation to death or retirement, she relied on article 5 of Council Directive 76/207 which provided:

"(1) Application of the principle of equal trealment with

regard to working conditions, including the conditions governing dismissal, means that men and women shall he guar-anteed the same conditions without discrimination on grounds of sex. (2) To this end. member states shall take [various specified measures]".

The Court of Justice of the

European Communities held in Case 152/84 Morsholl Southampton and South West Hampshire Area Health Authority (Teaching) ([1986] QB 401) that there had been discrimination contrary to the Directive and that Miss Marthall shall was entitled to pursue her claim for compensation in the national court despite section

6(4). The Court of Appeal, which had directed the reference to the European Court, therefore referred the claim back to the industrial tribunal to assess ompensation.
The provision relevant for

that purpose was section 65 of the 1975 Act, as amended. The limit under subsection (2) was at the relevant time, £6.250, Section 66, to which section 65(1)(b) referred, provided, in-ter alia, that proceedings to which section 66 applied should be brought only in a county court, but that all such remedies were to be obtainable in such consideration that it would be

proceedings as were obtainable in the High Court.

The health authority paid Miss Marshall £6.250 before the further hearing before the industrial tribunal, but Miss Marshall pursued her claim, The tribunal held itself entitled and bound to award adequate compensation, on the basis of a passage in Case 14/83 von Colson und Komann

Lond Nordrhein Westfalen ([1984] ECR 1891, 1909): "If a member state chooses to penalise breaches of [the pro-hibition of discrimination] by the award of compensation, then in order to ensure that it is effective and that it has a deterrent effect, that compensation must in any event be adequate in relation to the damage sustained . . . "

The tribunal assessed Miss awarded her that sum less the amount already received. The £19,405 included £7,710

The health authority paid. without appealing, the balance of the capital sum awarded, but it appealed against the inclusion of the sum for interest. The Employment Appeal Tribunal allowed the appeal and the award was reduced accordingly.
Although Miss Marshall's ap-

peal was only over the matter of interest, the validity in relation to her of the limit in section 65(2) of the 1975 Act was also in issue, because, inter alia, if it was valid it was a complete answer to her claim to interest.

The starting point for considering the effect in national courts of EEC directives was article 189 of the Treaty of Rome which provided, inter-

"A directive shall be binding, as to the result to be achieved, upon each member state to which it is addressed, but shall leave to the national authorities the choice of form and methods".

It had been held in the
European Coun that one effect
of that was that, in the absence

of legislation by a member state to implement a directive, the terms of the directive could not be directly applied by national courts in litigation between

Miss Marshall owed her suc-Miss Marshall owed her suc-cess in the European Court to the fact that her employers were a public body which (as was common ground) was regarded for purposes of European law as an emanation of the national

The principle applied in Marshall was set out at pp421-422:

"46... wherever the provisions of a directive appear, as far as their subject matter is concerned, to be unconditional and sufficiently precise: those pro-visions may be relied upon by an individual against the state where that state fails to im-

plement the directive in nu-ional law by the end of the period prescribed or where it fails to implement the directive "47. That view is based on the

incompatible with the binding nature which article 189 confers on the directive to hold as a matter of principle that the obligation imposed thereby cannot be relied on by those concerned. From that the court deduced that a member state which has not adopted the implementing measures re-quired by the directive within the prescribed period may not plead, as against individuals, its own failure to perform the obligations which the directive entails."

By parity of reasoning with that holding, the obligation under article 6 of a national state which had chosen to penalise unlawful discrimination by the award of compensation. Jo cnsure that the compensation was adequate in relation to the damage sustained, had to over-ride the limitation in section

The industrial tribunal had

regard that limit.

However, while it was one thing to write that limitation out of a national statute, by a form as explained in the statute of estoppel, as explained in paragraph 47 of Marshall, it was not necessarily the same thing to write into the statule a power that was not there.

It was abundantly clear that as a matter of national law indusinherent or otherwise, to award interest on or include interest in an award, because, inter oliu, all that could be awarded under section 65(1)1b) was compensation of an amount corresponding to any damages", and interest, although part of compensation, was not part of

The question then was whether it was possible for the mational court by an application of the estoppel principle in Morshall, to treat section 65(1)(b) as a broad power to award compensation disregarding the limitation to damages stated in the section, by reason of article 6.

After considerable hesitation. his Lordship had come to the view, for reasons given by him. that that was possible. The case with the estoppel principle, and so was distinguishable. His Lordship would allow the

LORD JUSTICE BUTLER-SLOSS said that the most important issue was whether article 6 had direct application in the English court, so as to require that court to give effect to it despite national legislation to the contrary.

In ron Culson, the European

Court said lat p1909): "JAmiele
6) does not include any unconditional and sufficiently precise obligation as regards
sanctions for discrimination which, in the absence of implementing measures adopted in good time may be relied on by individuals in order to obtain

specific compensation under the directive, where that is not provided for or permitted under national law.".

That, subject to Case 222/84

Johnston v Chief Constable of
the Royal Ulster Constability
([1987] QB 129), appeared to be conclusive on the question of compensation, which was im-plicit to article 6. Johnston, on which Miss Marshall relied, was a long way from the considerations in the present case.

The European Court had,

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other than in very special circumstances, was not sufficiently clear and precise to be applied direct by national

: It followed that the court did not have jurisdiction under European law to override the national legislation in order to sauction a sum of compensation in excess of the statutory

The only other possibility was to consider whether there was any-ambiguity in the wording of the English legislation. Her Ladyship found section 65(2) cicar and unambiguous.

The question whether "damin section 65(1)(h) migh include interest, and whether consequently there might be an ambiguity which should be resolved in accordance with arti-cle 6, was academic, since there was no ambiguity as to the total limit on compensation, which had already been exceeded in Miss Marshall's case, without the addition of interest.

Her Ladyship would there-fore, with regret, dismiss the

LORD JUSTICE STAUGHTON said that al-though section 6(4) of the 1975 Act had been amended by section 2 of the Sea Discrimination Act 1986, so that Miss Marshall would now succeed against the health authority on liability without needing to rely on direct effect, the Act had not been amended so as to implement Directive 76/207 on the topic of compensation.

Although article 6 did not expressly mention sanctions or compensation at all. Irun Colson had held that those matters were implicit in the article. However, that case also held that such provisions as to compensation did not have direct effect, even where the claim was brought against a body which was to be treated as the member state.

It was arguable that "damin section 65(1)(b) included interest by way of damages, whether on a purely English construction of the stattile or because that result might (his Lordship did not say must) achieve consistency with EEC

However it was unnecessary to decide that question as it was right, in the circumstances, to allow the health authority to rely on the limit in section 65(2) in resisting an award of interest.

The appeal should be dismissed.

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Reasonable time for bank to examine documents

Bankers Trust Company v State Bank of India Before Mr Justice Hirst [Judgment July 31]

Under article 16 of the Uniform Customs and Practice for Docu-mentary Credits. 1983 Revision, the reasonable time which an issuing bank had to examine the documents presented to it be-fore refusing them, on the ground that they appeared upon their face not to accord with the terms of the credit agreement, was the time required by the bank to determine on the basis of the decuments alone whether

of the documents alone whether to take up or refuse them. Mr Justice Hirst so held in the Commercial Court of the Queen's Bench Division in giv-Queen's bench Division in giv-ing judgment for the defendants. State Bank of India. against a claim by the plaintiffs. Bankers Trust Co. for a reimbursement of \$10.335m, being payment

made to the defendant on a confirmed irrevocable letter of credit without recourse, for which the plaintiffs claimed a refund following their rejection of the relevant documents because of discrepancies.

Mr Peter Goldsmith, QC and Mr Julian Flaux for the plain-tiffs: Mr Peter Scott, QC and Mr Mark Hapgood for the

MR JUSTICE HIRST said that he rejected the plaintiffs argument that an implied term should be read into article 16 that a reasonable time for the issuing bank to refer time for the issuing bank to refer to the applicant for whose account the letter of credit was

That did not embargo consultation with the applicant to determine whether he wished to waive or not, provided (and this was the crucial proviso) that

that fell within the reasonable time needed by the issuing bank itself to carry out its function and did not extend it.

If the applicant had not made up his mind prior to the expiry of the reasonable time the issue of the article 16D rejection notice by the issuing bank would not as the expert evidence showed, preclude further discussion and possible subsequent eussion and possible subsequent waiver, indeed there had been evidence that the giving of the rejection Telex was the most common way of triggering discussion to resolve problems mised by the existence of

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A new age of respect

awyers are the tech-nicians, the "back-room boys", of the business world. The Guinness affair has demonstrated the dire consequences of disregarding or over-ruling their technical advice. The humiliation of the Guinness four is directly due to their cavalier attitudes towards the law and lawyers. Not surprisingly, therefore, there was considerable satis-

trial among many City "I think the result is great for City lawyers," Rowan Bosworth-Davies, a solicitor at Richards Butler and a former member of the Frand Squad, says. "From now on clients will think twice before disregarding, or not consult-ing, their lawyers. I think it puts us clearly in the

faction at the outcome of the

Whether the result will lead inevitably to American-style lawyer-mania is not so clear. Some commentators have suggested that businessmen will now do nothing without referring first to their lawyers. The Guinness affair has shown just how

dangerous it can be to disregard the

firms say that their clients trial has come as something of have already learned that a shock and should mean that lesson and changed their even the strong personalities mode of operation. John will now pause to seek legal Newbegin, of Cameron Markby Hewitt, says that he noticed are going to have to disclose change in attitudes from fully, in advance, to their about 18 months ago in the lawyers what they intend do-wake of the Blue Arrow affair. ing to establish that it is within in the case of the merchant the law."

banks, legal advice has now become much more sys-tematic to avoid the possibility of inadvertent errors being Where last week's verdicts may have a real impact. wever, is on ambitious entrepreneurs who are accus-

tomed to getting their own way and who dislike any brakes being applied by "During the trial, a lot of people were by no means sure

advice of lawyers, Edward Fennell writes as requests for advice increase. Linklaters, says. "Con-Yet most leading London sequently, the result of the Just how lawyers will deal with this is an important issue.

> The sentences will also give more muscle to lawyers when they issue warnings to their clients. According to Mr Bosworth-Davies, there will be less fudging of legal advice and fewer attempts to find favour with the client. Lawyers will be more confident about doing a fully pro-fessional job and be more selfassured when they present clients with unpalatable truths. There are, however, pitfalls as well as benefits for

ing to establish that it is within

grey areas of the law, the more danger there is that incorrect interpretations will be given. The more requests for advice there are, the more lawyers become indispensable, and the greater the risk of error.

There may, for example, be a strong argument for tightening up the internal procedures of law firms in order to have detailed records of what advice clients were given and when. Traditionally, it has not been a common practice to make notes on every piece of advice nor to record every meeting with a client in depth. However, it may be in the interest of lawyers to start doing this. As a result of his former career in the police force, Mr Bosworth-Davies now tape-records all his meetings with clients. "I have seen what can happen when you do not have a proper system for taking notes, and this is a precaution to protect me," he

Whether other firms will follow Mr Bosworth-Davies's example is uncertain. The and that legal teams will that a conviction would fol- lawyers. The more advice is traditional pragmatism of consequently grow massively low," Charles Allen-Jones, of sought on complex issues in English lawyers has en-



"The result is great': solicitor Rowan Bosworth-Davies

worry excessively about "belt and braces" security. Security carries a price tag and, at the end of the day, it is the clients who have to pay. Will they be prepared to pay for added safety measures that are primarily in lawyers' in-

\$100,000 job and produced a

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the partner who had the

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Some of the lawyers said

they had a kind of Robin

Hood policy, robbing the rich

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Williams, another pseud-

ability of the client to pay. "There is pressure to bill at

least eight hours a day and I

could do the work for him,

couraged them to aim for what terests? Several firms have is effective rather than to expressed anxiety that legal expressed anxiety that legal fees will have to rise to ensure that corners are no longer cut. The Guinness affair has

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raised at least one crucial question for lawyers. How tight must our systems be if we are to protect ourselves as well as our chents?

Others were appalled at what they found. Mary Helen Murphy (pseudonym) des-cribed a lawyer in her firm

who worked an average of two hours a day but submitted bills for 12 to 16 hours work. memos . . . The other firm did She complained about this, a 15-page memo that cost about \$5,000". The client was only to be accosted by the man and physically threatened. "initially kind of horrified at Professor Lerman has a the difference. It had some-thing to do with the fact that number of recommendations

for the profession, which include amending the model rules to force lawyers who charge elients on an hourly basis to record their hours when they finish the work. They should have to provide their clients with itemised bills showing exactly how many hours were spent on each job. she says. Lawyers should also have a positive duty to disclose accurately the extent of their expertise and should be under an obligation to cononym, said his charging prac-tices were influenced by the front colleagues who are

breaking the rules. Professor Lerman would like to know whether her findings hold good in the United Kingdom or whether to the richest client and lies are unnecessary on the underbill clients who cannot other side of the Atlantic.

INNS AND OU

s the convictions and stiff sentences in the Guinness trial sink in around the City, the man who helped start the criminal investigation is coming to Europe. New York firm Nickson Hargrave Devans & Doyle is this week holding two seminars, one in Stockholm and the other in London (September 7 at Gray's inn in conjunction with Jaques & Lewis). The seminars will address the growing trend in the US towards criminal investigations and prosecutions of companies, offices and directors. Guest speaker is Rudolph Giuliani, who, as US Attorney for the Southern District of New York, led the high-profile prosecutions for insider trading and securities fraud that, among others, uncovered Ivan Boesky's illegal dealings, which in turn exposed the Guinness payment into a Boesky account. This led the US Securities and Exchange Commission to tip off the Department of Trade and Industry about possible wrong-doings during the Guinness takeover of Distillers. V. G. Staffan Lundback, a partner with Niekson Hargrave, says: "Mr Giuliani will provide a timely and dramatic first-hand view of the subject by speaking of insider trading, enforcement of securities laws and the process of criminal investigation and prosecution." The firm anticipales a

hile UK and US law firms with offices in the Gulf consider bringing their lawyers home, some US attorneys are preparing for action advising the military on the spot. Two ten-lawyer legal units of Army Reserve members, one in New York and one in the Bronx, have been told that they will be among the first to be called up if the Gulf crisis continues. The lawyers will spend most of their time advising the commanders on the legality of their actions as well as drafting wills and powers of attorney for the soldiers on active duty. They will also belp negotiate supply contracts and handle relations with Saudi Arabia. If war does break out, then part of their brief is to ensure that the US forces comply with international conventions and with the rules governing the use of weapons as well as prosecute and defend at courts martial.

ast week, the Centre for Alternative Technology, the mid-Wales-based centre of Britain's green technology development, raised eyebrows by exploiting a few capitalist techniques to become a ple and raise £1 million through an issue of shares. The lawyer behind the complex legal manocuvres is solicitor Malcolm Lynch, who is well-known in his field as the man behind most of the legal innovations involving co-operatives. The centre's decision makes it the first co-operative-managed ple to issue shares qualifying as investments under the Business Expansion Scheme. Mr Lyneh has his own firm in Leeds, where he specialises in employee share ownership schemes and ethical investments, and has advised on the first two employee share ownership trusts, set up under the Finance Act 1989, including one for the centre. If the globe keeps warming and the rainforests keep tumbling, his services should continue to be much in demand.

Temale lawyers depressed by the existence of the glass ceiling and other obstacles in their career paths might spare a thought for women in Iran, where the constitution specifically prohibits women becoming judges or holding other high office because, according to President Rafsanjani, "they have smaller brains than men and are too emotional". The present regime in Iran has launched an extraordinarily repressive campaign to outlaw "mal-dressing" and "improper veiling" by summarily punishing women who show locks of hair, wear make-up, shiny stockings or tight elothing. The punishments are severe, including whipping or imprisonment, and extend to men who "mal-dress" by wearing "sleeveless T-shirts or white shirts unbuttoned at the collar". Tehran radio has warned that computerised lists will be kept on the malveiled. The campaign has received the support of the head of the Iranian judiciary, Mullah Yazdi, who has instructed the court system to treat those arrested for mal-veiling "decisively".

SCRIVENOR

Distrust of lawyers is almost universal and it has a long history. In the United States, where the number of lawyers has doubled it is the state of lawyers has doubled it. oled in the past 20 years as their fees have grown larger, jokes about the profession have replaced ethnic jokes as dinner party conversation. How do you know when a lawyer is lying? His lips

Stories about the sharp practices of American lawyers are legendary, but almost entirely apocryphal. Lisa Lerman, a law professor at the Catholic University in Washington DC, has tried to catalogue some of the habits of lawyers in private practice. Her findings, published in a recent issue of the University of Pennsylvania Law Review, show widespread deception impress partners in the tirm. Most of lier interviewees were in private practice, although a few worked for government bodies. They were youngish, from small and large firms and local and national practices, but the Catholic University in Washington DC, has tried to cat-alogue some of the habits of over fees charged, including-the padding of bills, charging two clients for the same time and doing unnecessary work.

Her research was based on with a sample of 20 American practitioners, but her study was systematic and written up intensified as the American in a 100-page academic article legal profession has become was systematic and written up

mortgage subsidy.

An unfavourable account

Rearranging legal bills to suit the books is

common practice in the US, a study finds

lawyers were lying about the type or degree of expertise they had, deceiving their clients for their own convemence or to control the flow of work, and cheating on bills to

focus was on lawyers doing civil work. Professor Lerman talked to her subjects in confidence, either face to face or on the telephone.

The main motivation for the cheating was the desire to make money, a drive that has

notes. She found that the American law firms hire lawyers and set charges that relate not to the amount of work available, but to the profit level sought by the partners. If there is not enough work

for the lawyers to do, they must choose to do unnecessary work, to lie about the number of bours they work, or to fail to meet the minimum number of hours required for billing purposes and thereby reduce their chances of becoming a partner. "The sub-culture of the law firm does not put much emphasis on truthfulness," Professor Lerman says. "In large firms, earning money is valued above all else."

One of her subjects, given the pseudonym Winston, reported that makework, which in a 100-page academic article legal profession has become is work that the client pays for, work on two similar matters. afford standard rates. It is accompanied by 392 foot-increasingly-competitive. but that does not lead His firm "did an exhaustive rough justice," he said.



to any useful result, was the most common kind of deception. He offered as an example a case where a company hired his firm and another firm to

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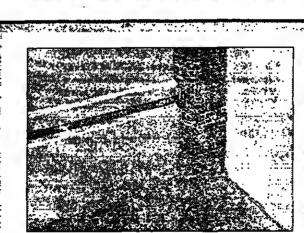
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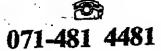
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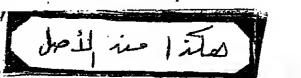
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Milk the market for a good job

Jobs have been relatively easy to find in the past few years,

but now there is a downturn in the market. Graduates

should not leave their search too late, Sally Watts warns

advice to students who will graduate in 1991 comes from people with an overall view of the jobs market for new graduates, which is currently experiencing a downturn that is expected to lest et leas; until next summer. And according to one specialist, the summer fairs have offered fewer job apportunities.

The bonanza of the past few years has encouraged many finalists to take a relaxed approach to finding a job, bypassing the milk round and leaving the search until after their degree. But 1990s graduates are not having as easy a time as those of 1988 and 1989.

"It is becoming clear that employers are considerably more cautious than in recent years," Keith Dugdale, the chairman of the Graduate Careers Advisory Service, says. "They are looking carefully at their graduate intake and are not unduly concerned if they do not meet their recruitment

For new graduates, this means a mismatch between their expecta-

tions and the reality." The mismatch is making it

ext year, use the milk harder for those who postponed round. This unanimous the search until after their examinations. Mr Dugdale, who is also bead of the careers service at Strathclyde University, says. He expects the milk round to "reassert itself" next year as an important recruitment medium, particularly for finalists aiming for marketing and personnel openings

with blue chip companies.

The value of the milk round is also emphasised by Helen Perkins. the chairman of the Association of Graduate Recruiters (AGR). In July the AGR's survey of job prospects showed a 12 per cent downturn over the past six months, and by the beginning of August employers' recruitment campaigns had ended, whereas they are usually still struggling to

meet their targets. Predictably, graduates whose degrees are in the arts, bumanities or social sciences are the first to feel the effects.

This year the whole atmosphere is different," Miss Perkins says. "This time last year personnel managers were looking harassed and drawn, but this year they are more relaxed. We are cautious about exaggerating, but

recession and the fact that employers are to some extent scaling

"My advice to new graduates is not to panic. It is a bealthy situation, although it means they have to work a bit harder et their search and be more targeted on the jobs they want. Students should use the milk round. It is a real opportunity because companies come with real job offers to have a first look at the students and give students a chance to look at them.

"If they leave all their searching until after the finals, the career start of their dreams, or vecancies in the company of their dreams, may bave gone.

lthough the jobs market is not suffering from the "major upset" of the early 1980s, Peter Elvin, the careers officer at Essex University, anticipates that some 1990 graduates will still be job-hunting at the end of the year and that in 1991 more vacancies will be filled

in the milk round cycle.
"It is best to be involved in recruitment early or you may lose out for that year," Mr Elvin says.

All three careers specialists believe that new graduates should not forgo the now almost customary six or 12 months' gap between college and work because,

provided they know what they want to do with the time and use it

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effectively, employers find the break has a maturing effect. "But do not go without first putting a toe in the water," Miss Perkins says. "It is in your own interests to pursue applications in order to get an idea of the market. If you have no experience of what job search involves, you will feel it when you get back."

The most promising job areas

continue to be technology, computer science, law, engineering research and development and the financial sector, although Keith Dugdale has noticed a tightening up in finance, where in recent years chartered accountancy bas absorbed about 10 per cent of all

At Essex, Mr Elvin finds that while some areas are still buoyant, there are contradictions. Organisations involved in defence work are "a little more cautious" and commuter consultancies related to the defence industry are also cutting back.

Some advice from the three

experts, for those still bunting for a job, is: if your degree is in languages, take e short course in a business subject such as export marketing to give yourself a basic

skill in addition to your languages. People with an arts or social sciences degree should also consider short post-graduate courses to enhance their prospects by having a skill to offer employers. They, and bumanities graduates and students, are also advised to acquire "well-developed, transfer-able personal skills", such as communicating ability and team

Finally, contact your university

or polytechnic careers service to update yourself about vacancies and the general jobs situation and acquire some tips on being as professional as possible in your approach. At least keep on the mailing list so that you receive news of the autumn fairs.

These are at Warwick (September 25), Leeds (September 27). Glasgow (October 23 and 24), and London (December 5). Bristol University runs a Graduate Careerline (0272 303149) every Thursday afternoon and evening to give advice and guidance to those who have graduated in the

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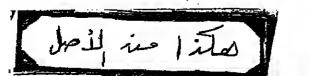
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The lists are compiled from the the Campus 2000 educational database service. The information has been supplied by the Universities Central Council on Admissions (UCCA) and the Polytechnics Central Admissions System (PCAS). The figures in brackets indicate the course code used by UCCA and will assist students in determining whether the course is similar to their original choice. The number in brackets next to the university name indicates the minimum acceptable grades, expressed as points, that will be considered.

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Some of the Polytechnics may offer several courses with different codes all appearing under a particular course title. These courses are modular and will include study in a variety of subjects, one of which is in the title. Applicants should consult their PCAS and UCCA handbooks for more information about the courses offered. It should be noted that many degree courses in Scotland are of 4 years duration. In some areas of study well-qualified candidates may be admitted direct to the second

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AS ONE old champion revived memories of the past at the United States Open, another glimpsed visions of the future. In beating Emilio Sánchez, the No. 7 seed, in five sets and four hours and 20 minutes to reach the quarter-final against David Wheaton, John McEnroe not only cast off the layer of doubts which had settled on his career, he ested that one last title could yet be within his grasp. The transformation has been extraordinary, even by McEnroe's volatile standards.

When he lost with barely a sigh or a whimper to Derrick Rostagno in the first round at Wimbledon two months ago, McEnroe seemed about to take the final bow. Now, in front of 20,000 passionate New Yorkers, be has returned to the centre of the stage, his volleying as precise, bis serving almost as consistent, his 31-year-old legs slower, but his brain as sharp as in his heyday when he won four US Open

Martina Navratilova, on the other hand, beaten by Manuela Maleeva, the No. 9 seed, in three sets in the fourth round, has been left to reflect on the emptiness of life after Wimbledon. For the first time in 12 years, she has not reached the quarter-finals of the US Open, where she has also been the champion four times. Winning her ninth Wimbledon title and beating the record beld for so many years by Helen Wills Moody had become such an obsession that when she finally reached the promised land against Zina Garrison on that unforgettable afternoon on centre court, the terrain beyond suddenly seemed flat and cheerless. The landmark word, retirement, which has passed McEnroe's lips more than once this year, has en-tered Navratilova's vocabulary for the first time.

Wimbledon took so much out of me, I really had a hard time, I wanted to be up but I just couldn't kick into gear. 1 don't want to get too philosophical after this night but I don't know if my desire will ever be there 100 per cent. I'm not going to force anything. If 1 don't feel like playing next year, 1 won't and right now 1 don't feel like it," Navratilova

The letdown is entirely understandable, though only Stefano Capriati, Jennifer's father, had been bold enough to predict that Maleeva would win. But, in the days ahead, Navratilova will be comforted by several things. She is still No. 2 in the world and, only 48 hours earlier, she had seen Monica Seles, one of her main rivals, suffer a far more burniliating loss to Linda Ferrando. Youth is no defence against inexplicable defeat. either. She might also take comfort from McEnroe, wbo has plumbed the depths and is now starting to touch the Sabatini and the unseeded peaks, all in the space of a few Leils Meskhi meet in another months.

McEnroe has a poor record in front of his home crowd in the last few years. Last year, he was ambushed in the second round by Paul Haarhuis in what he described "as one of his worst matches ever".

Twelve months on, he is contemplating a grand slam quarter-final for only the fourth time since 1985. The

New York crowd, who for so long have been schizophrenic about McEnroe are un-ashamedly revelling in his renaissance and McEnroe is responding with his best tennis for many years. He is even getting testy about comparisons with the past.

"When did I last play this well? It's kind of irrelevant. I'm getting tired of those questions. It's just nice to see that all that work is starting to pay off. It's certainly the biggest win this year, but then I haven't had that many big wins this year," McEnroe said.

What surprised many and pleased McEnroe in particular was the consistency and strength of his game through-out the four hours and 20 minutes of a classic match. Sanchez is one of the fittest players on the tour and he is six years younger than McEnroe.

In a five-set match, there seemed to be only one winner. But, at the death, it was Sanchez who wilted and McEnroe who kept up the pressure with the variety of his serves and the delicacy of his volleys. For once, Sanchez's passing shots deserted him, his nerve tightened.

McEnroe broke decisively to lead 4-2 in the final set and was carried through to victory on a tide of goodwill. As the final volley sped down the line for a 7-6. 3-6. 4-6. 6-4. 6-3 had been reached and the victory, the centre court rose to acclaim the return of the old champion. Navratilova could not call

on the same support in her time of trouble. Exhausted by the emotion of the McEnroe match, many of the crowd had gone home. At times, as she missed straightforward volleys, netted bread-and-hutter ground strokes, it seemed that Navratilova's heart had gone

Like McEnroe, she levelled the match; unlike him, she was unable to summon that reserve to overcome an oppo-nent playing the best tennis of

Instead of losing her nerve as she has done so often in the past, Maleeva-Fragniere (the Fragniere has been added since her marriage to Francois Fragniere, her coach) saw the opening and took it, recording her first win over Navratilova 7-5, 3-6, 6-3.

On match point, a Navratilova forehand hovered on top of the net uotil falling back on her side. It was that sort of day for her. Manuela Malceva now meets Mary Joe Fernandez in the quarter-final, and Gahriela quarter-final.



Down and out: Navratilova contemplates her surprise defeat at Flushing Meadow

US OPEN TENNIS RESULTS

MEN'S SINGLES: Third round: Fourth round: I Landi (Cz) bt G Blobm (Isr), 6-0, 8-3, 6-4; D Wheeton (US) bt K Curren (US), 7-5, 7-6, 4-6, 8-4, P Sampras (US) bt T Muster (Austria), 6-7, 7-6, 6-4, 6-3; J McEnnoe (US) bt E Sánchez (Sp), 7-6, 3-8, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

WUMBER'S SWALLES: FOURTH REGISTER OF SABBITIS (AND) bt H Sukova (C2), 6-2, 8-1; M-J Fernandoz (US) bt J Wissener (Austria), 6-3, 6-2; L Meskhi (USSP) bt L Fernando (II), 7-6, 8-1; M Melseva (Switz) bt M Nevratikova (US), 7-5, 3-6, 6-3, ES: Second round: N Aerts o (Br) br O Detains (Fr) and tz), 8-2, 8-3; S Bruguera M Rosser (Switz), B-2, 6-3; S Bruguera and T Carbonell (Sp) bit J Stotinoherg and T Woodbridge (Aus.), 1-8, 7-8, 6-4; R Deppe (SA) and B Garnett (US) bt O Camporese end J Senchez (Sp), 7-8, 6-4; G Connell and O Machibeta (Carl) bt L Matter and Rosse (Br), 6-4, 6-4; P Gathrath (US) and K Jones (US) bt J Better (GB) and D Cahill (Aus.), 6-4, 6-7, 7-8; P Doohen (Jus.) and L Warder (Aus.) bt J Frene (Pr) and C Minlussi (Arg.), 7-6, 5-7, 7-8; P Armocone (US) and D Wheelon (US) bt B Peerce and K Kinnear (US), 4-6, 6-2, 7-6; P Armocone (US) and O Wisser (SA) bt M Behrami (Iran) and J-P Flourian (Fr), 7-9, 6-4; W Ferneiru (SA) and O Wisser (SA) bt M Behrami (Iran) and J-P Flourian (Fr), 7-9, 6-4; W Ferneiru (SA) and O Wisser (US) bt S Casal (Sp) and E Sánchez (Sp), 6-3, 6-2; P McGirroe (US) and R Heneburg (US) bt P Chamburgian (US) and T Wilkson (US) and K Jones (US) and P Cornett (Can)

and O Michibids (Can), 4-6, 7-8, 8-4; A Cestle (GB) and R Smith (Bah) bt R Deppe (SA) and R Gernett (US), 6-4, 6-4; A Jerryd (Swe) and C van Rensburg (SA) bt P Dochan (Aus) and L Warder (Aus), 6-4, 3-6, 6-2; S Bruguere (Sp) and T Carbonett (Sp) bt N Aerts (Br) and O Mercelino (Br), 7-6, 6-4; O Forget (Fr) and J Nessek (Switz) bt W Ferretra (SA) and P Norvel (SA), 6-3, 8-2.

Ludioff (US), 1-6, 7-6, 7-6, S Cacchief (B) and P Tarabini (Arg) bt J-A Fault (Aus) and W Turmous (Aus), 6-2, 6-4; J Novotna (Cz) and H Sukova (Cz) bt E cel.one (US) and L Raymond (US), 6-0, 6-0; N Provis (Aus) and E Reinach (SA) bt L Barmard (SA) and O van Rernsburg (SA), 6-7, 6-1, 6-2; M Navvatilova (US) and G Fernandez (US) bt H Coffi (US) and A Frazier (US), 6-2, 6-1; K Adams US) and L Gilderneister (Peru) bt I Demonepor (Fr) and E Publi (WG), 6-4, 6-3; S Graf (WG) and L McNeil (US) bt J Byrns (Aus) and A White (US), 4-8, 7-6, 7-8; L Savchenico (USSSR) and N Zverava (USSR) bt K Firnald (US) and J Hetherington (Can), 6-1, 5-7, 6-3; P Fundick (US) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; K Jordan (US) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG) and W Probat (WG), 7-5, 7-6; C Porwik (WG), 8-1 of E Smyter (Austria), 6-2, 6-3. Third round: A Senchitz-Vicanio (So) and R White (US) bt L Gregory (SA) and G Magera (US), 6-3, 6-1; L Serthenko

(USSR) and N Zverevs (USSR) bt M Paz (Arg) and O Sabatini (Arg), 6-7, 6-4, 8-4. LARGE BROU Sabatine (Arg.), 6-7, 6-4, 6-4.

MOCED BOUISLES: First round: M
McGrett (US) and M Woodlorde (Aus) in
N Provis (Aus) and O Viseor (US), 6-4, 7-6;
R McQuillen (Aus) and K Evernden (NZ) bt
C Kuhlmen (US) and S deVrise (US), 6-0,
6-1; J Richardson (NZ) and D MacPherson
(Aus) bt P Terabini (Arg.) and L Jenson
(US), 7-5, 6-3; E Burgin (US) and L Warder
(Aus) bt P Fendick (US) and K Flach (US),
6-7, 7-6, 4-2, cleant; P-L, Harper (US) C
Beckrean (US) bt L McMell (US) and R

(US) and R Smith (Beh), 6-4,3-6, 6-1.

Second round: R McCuillen (Aus) and K Evernden (NZ) bt J Richardson (NZ) and O MacPherson (Aus), 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; M M (McGrein (US) and R Woodforde (Aus) bt G Magers (US) and R Woodforde (Aus) bt G Magers (US) and R Woodford (Aus) bt R White (US) and S Cannon (US), 3-6, 7-6, 7-6; Z Garrison (US), 3-6, 6-1, 1-6, 3: E Smylle (Aus) and T Woodfordige (Aus) bt R White (US) and R Leach (US) bt R White (US) and R Leach (US) and H Leach (US) and I woodfordige (Aus) bt S McCarthy (US) and M Washington (US), 7-8, 7-6; N Zbersen (USSR) and J Projn (US) bt N Medvedera (USSR) and J Projn (US) bt N Medvedera (USSR) and J Projn (US) bt N Medvedera (USSR) and K Jones (US), 6-1, 7-6; M Boilegraf (Noth) and M Mortensen (Den) bt E Burgin (US) and C Beckman (US), 8-1, 1-6, 6-4. (US) and R Smith (Beh), 6-4,3-6, 6-1.

CYCLING

Belgians in approach to injured **Stephens**

By PETER BRYAN

MATTHEW Stephens, the most successful of Britain's continental-based amateurs, returned to the sport yesterday for the first time since being injured in a serious crash in the nanonal championship two months ago. However, Stephens was not racing, but instead training on a gentle ride with his father and mentor. Desmond Stephens mentor. Desmond Stephens. close to the family's Hertford-

shire home.
Training will be the only sort of riding the younger Stephens can expect to have for the rest of the year. "As far as racing is concerned, it looks as though my season is already over," he said.

In his erash, Stephens, aged In his erash, Stephens, aged 20, who has won a two-year scholarship to the ACCB club in Paris, one of Europe's leading clubs, damaged a nerve in his right shoulder which has affected the use of his arm. He now has full mobility in his fingers, but the upper arm still requires treatment.

fingers, but the upper arm still requires treatment.

He is due to meet ACCB officials before the end of the month to discuss his future with the club. In the background will be approaches made last week by the Belgian team, Isoglass, which is interested in talking professional terms with him. Stephens is in no hurry to make up his mind, but if he accepts the offer, he will be joining the first-year pro-fessional, Harry Lodge, who will

Another international nursing discomfort yesterday, although of a much lesser kind, was Gethin Butler, who improved by 20 miles on his previous best distance to win the Poole Wheelers 12-hour time trial, covering 269.012 miles. Butler, suff after his exertions, also had

sore toes.

His victory has now taken His victory has now taken him into second place in the British best all-rounder compenition, which is decided by the fastest average speed at 50 miles, 100 miles and 12 hours. The leader remains Gary Dighton, who finished lifth, five miles behind Butler, in the Poole event.

miles bernind Butlet, in the Poole event.

STANDBNGS: Beltish best all-rounder competition: 1, G Dighton (Marchester Wisselers), 28,061mpt; 2, O Butler (Norwood Paragon), 25,873; 3, A Gornell (Marchester Wisselers), 25,892; 4, O Pentss (Coefficial), 25,294; 5, Fi Hughes (Carence), 25,289; 6, S Gilles (Leo), 25,258.

VOLLEYBALL Malory quick off the mark with cup win

TEAM Mizuno Malory provided a pointer to the new English League season, which starts later this month, by winning the men's NatWest Supercup at Weston-super-Macro on Sunday (Roddy Mare on Sunday (Roddy Mackenzie writes).

British success 18 fast becoming a standing joke

ATHLETICS is a marvellous sport on television, full of rhythmic and technical vari-SPORT ON TELEVISION ety. Unlike many sports, it is perfectly structured for tele-vision: in all its manifest forms, it has the right THE WEEK IN REVIEW architecture for the screen.

Whole races need no more

That and a few other factors, such as the BBC

possessing, in David Cole-man, the best sports com-

mentator, made for a com-

pulsive week of viewing from

the European athletics cham-

pionships. Coleman is, of course, controversial, mean-

ing that some people cannot stand him. I could stand a lot

more like him. Here is a man

who genuinely adds some-

thing to the pictures through

sheer depth of knowledge. He embodies the old military

truism that time spent in

reconnaissance is seldom

Oh dear, you are thinking, has this column gone soft? Fear not. Apart from Sat-

urday, I was obliged to watch

most of the output in

highights form, which was no hardship as regards the run-ning and the jumping. My complaint is with the stand-

of somebody coming sev-

eath. That way I am assured

that the highlights will not involve anyone standing still. Unfortunately "the first two British lads" are just that, the first two. Therefore

the national anthem gets an

enormous amount of sport-

ing airtime these days. I blame the athletes. Years

ago, when we had Gordon

Pirie and, um, that other

chap, you would turn on the

Olympic Games or the Euro-

would bear the national an-

them about once a week.

Now, you can't escape the

Not that our athletes stand

still badly. Some of them

deserve a medal for the way

they stand still. And of

course, in these champion-

ships, they have been stand-

ing still with sound effects, an

4-3, also thanks to a late penalty.

The most significant development in German football

last week occurred off the field

After separate meetings in Frankfurt and East Berlin on

Frankfurt and East Berlin on Friday, the West and East German federations agreed that one team would represent Germany from November 21.

The East German federation will become one of the regional elements of what is presently the West German organising body. The date will be marked by a final fixture between East and West in Leinzig.

West in Leipzig.
Cameroon continue to struggle in the qualifying competition of the African Nations' Cup.

Having drawn their first match, against Mali, they drew their second on Saturday, being held 1-I by Sierra Leone, Garner,

who are trying to restore a once-great reputation in African foot-ball, beat Nigeria 1-0 in their opening match.

damn thing.

than a mid-shot to he under-PETER BARNARD delivers stood, and the close-ups are relevant rather than distract-ing and distorting as they tend to be in football and othletes and anthem which have dominated our television screens

> improvement which, luckily for the viewers, seems to have escaped the notice of the athletes. "Which way is it?" I heard Kriss Akabusi ask. He wanted to be sure he was standing still in the right direction. Standing still with your back to the flag can cause an epidemic of tabloid headlines. At Split, a place in Yugo-

slavia after which split times are, of course, named Yvonne Murray stood still best. She stood still with her feet while running a mile with her face. All human life was there, in close-up. The crowd, which because of the prowess of javelin throwers is obliged to watch from a neighbouring country, has the benefit of these close-ups via the stadium screen, so let us not get smug. Anyway, Murray's eyes shone like diamonds, her smile spread wide enough to make an equator of her mouth.

Some of the highlights programmes on BBC and The close-ups also reveal that hardly any of the British ITV went out so late that on one occasion the chap next athletes know the words to door asked me very politely if this musical tour de force. Not surprising, given that until recently they have been I could turn down the music. That isn't music, I explained, that is the British national more familiar with the East anthem: It is designed to cure German anthem. The East insomnia, not cause it. -German one is even worse; My neighbour is some sort that is, longer. In the editing of foreigner, so of course his

suites of BBC and ITV sports national anthem was not a highlight. Serves him right. On the highlights, you only get the British national andepartments, compilers of highlights programmes have conversations like this: "How long is the anthem?" them. Just as you also get "the third British lad, what a fine performance." That's "Forty-five seconds." "Terrible." This may not be music criticism on the Nevthe one who came seventh. I ilie Cardus scale, but it is like him. I go home happy when that day's outstanding supremely relevant. And then there are the flagpoles and their operators. British performance consists

Plaggers? Polers? Whatever they are called, they are in charge of that other highlight, sending the flags up the poles: three tortoises with painted backs embarked on a mara-

Maria

E BETTY !

Week of

Who is taking his cue from whom? Is not the gold medal flag supposed to reach the top first? Why is the person pulling the bronze medal strings in the lead? Is it bias? Blind ambition? .While we await the an-

pean championships and you swers to these important questions. I have a suggestion. Could not the BBC and ITV take the national anthem, the flags, the flagpoles, the rostrums and the standing still athletes out of their highlights programmes, join up all the ceremonial videotape, and beam it at Saddam Hussein 24 hours a day? It is time we got tough with him.

SQUASH RACKETS

Troubled Jahangir is still top of rankings

By COLIN McQUILLAN

JAHANGIR Khan is still ahead of the game on the world rankings although be is heading for trouble with the International Squash Players Associatinn over alleged demands for appearance money at the Hnng Kong Open which starts tomor-

Despite losing to Chris Robertson in the New Zealand semi-finals last mnnth and miss-ing the subsequent Singapore Open, Jahangir retains No. I spot on today's new ISPA ranking list ahead of his Pakistani compatriot, Jansher Khan, the world champing, who won both of these tournaments.

Jahangir won a record ninth
British Open championship in
April and announced he would reduce his tournament schedule. Today he heads the ISPA list with an average of 856.60 points from ten tournaments. Jansher records an average of 782.89 points from 18 tournaments.

FIRST DIVISION

SECOND DIVISION

X A Villa v Coventry
1 Chelsea v Sunderle
X Everton v Arsenal
1 Luton v Leeds
1 Man Utd v CPR
2 Norwich v C Palson

The situation will un-The situatinn will undoubtedly irritate Jansher. He left Singapore convinced he had regained No. I spot and knowing that the Hong Kong promoters were already refusing to pay appearance money to Jahangir, which could allow him to consolidate his position against the pursuing ton Australians.

the pursuing top Australians nis week. England returned to the world top ten today in the shape of Bryan Beeson who replaces Mark Maclean, of Scotland, in ninth position. Maclean drops to 11th and Del Harris, the British No. I on his way back from printing last way back from injury last year, rises another place in 12th.

TOP RANKINGS: 1, Jahangir Khan (Pak);
2, Janaher Khan (Pak); 3, C Robertson (Aus); 4, C Dittmer (Aus); 5, H Mertin (Aus); 8, B Martin (Aus); 7, H Eyles (Aus); 8, M 2 Gul (Pak); 9, B Besson (Eng); 10, T Nancarton (Aus); 11, M Macisen (Sco); 12, O Harris (Eng); 16, P Kenyon (Eng); 17, A Danies (Wales); 16, C Walker (Eng); 20, P Whitook (Eng);

SCOTTISH PREMIER
1 Callic v Hiberman
1 Dundee U. v St Mirren
2 Duni' milne v Aberdeen
2 Hearts v Rangers
1 Motherwi' v St Johnst'ne

SCOTTISH FIRST

SCUTTISH PWST

Alvir v Brechin

Alvir v Meadowbenk

Clyde v Forfar

X Clydebenk v Dundee

Fallark v Partick

X Hemilton v Klimamock

Not on coapone: Rath

Morton

MOTOR SPORT

Harvey is the cream of Britain

By STEPHEN SLATER

ONE British car and driver combinann upheld home hnn-nurs in the world championship sports car race at Donington on Sunday. While the Mercedes Benz

team was completing a domi-nant t-2 victory and a mis-calculation by Jaguar team engineers was leading to their cars being excluded for nver-reaching their statutory 244.8 litres of fuel allocation, the Oxfordshire driver. Tim Har-Oxfordshire driver, Tim Har-vey, and the Silverstone-based Spice Engineering team were thrilling the crowd by claiming a fine third place after battling from a lowly mid-field starting

Harvey charged through from 13th place on the starting grid to fourth place on the road ahead of the second Jaguar and both Nissan and Toyota factory teams. The exclusion of the leading Jaguar then elevated Harvey and his Dutch co-driver. Cnr Euser, to third place, it was Harvey's best-ever result since making his debut in the world series at the same race a year ago. The result, too, is a fillip to the

Spice team, who decided to huild their car to the furthcoming 1991 championship rules, with a 3.5 litre Ford-Cosworth engine fitted instead of the considerably more powerful turbocharged power units used by their opposition.

Although they have struggled this year against the more heavily financed manufacturers' teams. Spice may hald the advantage next year when their opponents' turbo-cars will incur severe weight penalties if they continue in be used in the series.

The successful performance
by Spice comes just as the company are about to test a new car, powered by a Lamborghini V-12 engine similar to that used by the Lotus and Larrousse Grand Prix teams. This high-

pnwered Anglo-Italian combination is quite likely to turn a few heads in the 1991

season, and the link with a

rennwned manufacturer will further increase Spice's credibil-

OVERSEAS FOOTBALL Aldridge offers Sociedad early return

ish season in style at the weekend, scoring the goal which gave Real Sociedad victory against Real Zaragoza. His penalty in the 81st minute

provided an early dividend nn Sociedad's investment in Foot-balt League talent. Obviously impressed with the performance of Aldridge, who was their leading scorer with 16 league goals last season, Sociedad have added Kevin Richardson from Arsenal, and Dalian Atkinson from Sheffield Wednesday.

Sociedad, however, were not the only Spanish club to see early returns from summer ac-quisitions. Barcelona beat Espariol, with the nuly goal coming from the forward they bought from CFKA Sredets, Hrisin Stoichkny, who shared the Golden Boot award for the leading scorer in Europe last season with Hugo Sanchéz, nf

equaliser against Valencia came from Gerhard Rodax, the Austrian forward who won the Silver Boot last season with Admira Wacker. Real, the champions for the

goal against Castellon came from a familiar source, Sanchis. John Toshack, their coach, has also made changes during the summer, however Gone are Schuster, of West Germany, Ruggeri, of Argentina and per-haps more importantly, Martin vasquez, who has joined Turin.

In their places have come
Georghe Hagi, who had an
impressive World Cup with
Romania, Predrag Spasic, of
Yugoslavia, and Luis Milla, who
came from Bayelona

Real Madrid. Asletico Madrid's the European Cup. In each of lautern, who beat Hertha Berlin

last five years: also began with a win, incidentally their 1,000th league victory, but their winning

Yugoslavia, and Luis Milla, who came from Barcelona.

Once again, however, Toshack's performance will be judged by the team's progress in

the last two seasons, Real have been eliminated by AC Milan. The Italian season does not

The Italian season does not start until next Sunday, but in the Super Cup on Saturday, the champions, Naples, beat the cup-winners, Juventus, 5-1, Careca scoring twice, ti will be of little consolation to Juventus that Roberto Baggio, who cost half of the £15 million the club spent on new players during the summer, scored their goal.

Nothing less than the Dutch champiouship will be regarded as satisfactory for Bobby Robson in his first season as coach to PSV Eindhoven. They started the season brightly with a 5-0 win on Tuesday, but could only draw 1-1 with Nijmegen on Sunday.

OVERSEAS FOOTBALL RESULTS

Young Boys 3.

TURKISH LEAGUE: Gencierbirtig! 2, Konyaspor 1, Anterrigueu 2, Adentespor 0. Geletesersy 1, Zeyffriburtespor 0. Gentesersy 1, Zeyffriburtespor 0. Garzentespor 0. Trabzonspor 0. Burespor 0. Trabzonspor 0. Burespor 0. URLICHAYAN LEAGUE: Defensor Sporting 2, Penson 1: Central Espeñol 2, Wandares 1; Nacional 2, Bolts Victa 0; Progreso 2, Danutio 0, Liverpool 1, River Piete 0; Recing 2, Huracan Buceo 1; Hentistes 0, Cerro 0.

WEST GERMAN LEAGUE: Wandard Con

BRIDGE

Americans win mixed pairs title From ALBERT DORMER

IN GENEVA

PETER Weichsel and Juanita Chambers, of the United States, won the mixed pairs, the opening event of the world bridge championships. Both are former world match-play champions. Their score of 59.9 per cent put them comfortably ahead of Sweder's Lerie Anderson and Sweder's Lerie And den's Lars Anderson and Eva-Liss Goethe with 58.73 per cent. Sandra Landy, of Britain, also s world match-play champion, and John Elliott finished a

and John Elliott finished a creditable thirteenth in the 574-pair field, the biggest for any World Bridge Federation event. In progress are the individual pair contest, which ends on Tuesday night, and the early rounds of the world knockout tens, which has a way to go.

The par contest is the first world championship controlled by computers. Each of the 20 invited players, including Tony Forrester and Andrew Robson from Britain, sits at a separate terminal and tries to solve hands devised by Pietro Bernasconi, a Genevoise, who is one of the world's best analysts. Hostilities continue, between Denis Howard, of Sydney, the recently re-elected WBF president, and José Damiam, Europe's candidate, who was defeated by eight votes to six last week. The four European delegates made good their threat to walk out. "We have no choice gases made good their threat to walk out. "We have no choice but to let you carry on along lines of which we whole-heartedly disapprove," Damiani

Europe has more bridge play curope use more bridge play-ers than the rest of the world, but only four voice on the ruling body, whose delegates, against a backround of politicking, are players, meanwhile; are thankful enough to have won the battle for free drinking water.

Whittingham out. The Portsmouth player, Guy Whittingham, is out of football for up to a month after sustaining a depressed fracture of the cheekbone in a collision with his fellow forward, Colin Clarke.

FOURTH DIVISION
1 Bumley v Scarboro
X Cardiff v Torqusy
X Chest field v Hereford
1 Gillinghern v Hereford
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1 Hereford
1 North pach v Stackpord
1 Rochdele v Stockpord
1 Scunthorpe v Peterbore
X Walsall v Darlington
2 York v I norsh SECOND DIVISION

2 Barrisley v Oldham

1 Bristol C v Plymouth

2 Creation v Sheff Wed

2 Liul v Swindon

1 Ipswich v Blackburn

1 Laicester v West Ham

1 Middlestro v Notis Co

X Newcastle v Millwall

1 Catord v WBA SCOTTISH SECOND SCOTTISH SECOND

Not on coapons: Alloa v
Queen of the South;
Arbroath v String; Berwick v Montroes; Cumberton v Cowdenbeath;
E.a.i File v Albron;
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AFRICAN NATIONS CUP: Morocco 4, Mauritania 0; Burkine Paco 2, Togo 0; Uganda 2, Zaire 1; Meli 1, Guinea 1; Congo 2, Zimbabwe 0; Ghana 1, Nigeria 0, ARGENTRINAN LEAGUE: Estudiantes de la Pata 1, Patensa 1; San Loranzo de Amegro 1, Argentinos Juniors 2, Newell's Old Boys 1, Huracan 2, Boca Juniors 2, L'nion 0; Oeportivo Mandiyu 1, Independiente 0, Racing Caub 0; Checo for Ever 0; Talleres 1, River Pete 2; Lamus 0; Rosario Central 2; Deportivo Español 1, Gimnasia Esgrina La Pieta 1; Vélez Sarsfield 1, Ferro Carrit Oeste 0; Landing poelitione: 1, Boca Juniors, 6pts; 2, Rosario Central 4; Deportivo Español 1, Gimnasia Esgrina La Pieta 1; Vélez Sarsfield 1, Ferro Carrit Oeste 0; Landing poelitione: 1, Boca Juniors, 6pts; 2, Rosario Central 4; 3, River Pieta 4.
AUSTRIANI LEAGUE: PC Swerowski Trol 2, Wiener SK 0; Rapid Wien 2, Admira Wacker 0; DSV Alpine 1, Austria Wien 1; VSE St Pólec 1, Vorwitris Sary 2; Vienna FC 1, Sarm Graz 0; Austria Sabburg 1, Kreme 0, Leading poelitione: 1, FC swerowski Trol, 15pt; 2, Austria Sabburg 1, Richard Landie Warney 1, Lega 4, Anderiecht 2, Ghurt 2, Korrijk 1; Machalen 1; Standard Laige 3, Loberen 0; Charteron 1; Arnowep 2, Lierze 0, St. Trasiden 1, Elegran 1.

BRAZELIAN LEAGUE: Flamengo 2, Golas 9; Cruzeiro 1, Portuguesa 0; Fluminense 1, Internacional Filo 1, Grennio 0, Asistico 1; Internacional Sao Paulo 1, Botariogo 0; Sao Paulo 1, Bragantino 0; Palmeiras 0, Santos, C, Vitoris 0, Contatilans 0; Nautoc 0, Bahia 0, Laading positiona: Group A: 1, Aliatico, Spitz 2, Golas, 4, 3 egual, Bahia and Santos, 3. Group 8: 1 equal, Internacional Sao Paulo and Cruzeiro, Gots, 8, Grenno, 5. CZECHOSLOVAK LEAGUE: Dukle Prague 0, Bohemiane Prague 4; Dukle Prague 0, Bohemiane Prague 4; Dukle Baraiski Bystrica 3, 71 Vittovice 0; SXP Union Cheb 3, Tastran Prascov 0; Start Brassiniva 1, Zbrojovice Brito 0; Sigma Okorouc 1, Slovan Bradislava 1; Sievia Prague 4, Spertak Hradice Kratove 1; Dunişiski Strada 0, FC Nitra 1; Blank Ostrava 2, Sperta Prague 1, Leaching positions (strar four matches) 1, Slovan Bradislava, 7pts; 2, FC Nitra, 8; 3, SKP Union Cheb, 5.

DUTCH LEAGUE: NEC Nimegen 1, PSV Bindroven 1; FC Urrecti 1, SC Heersmeen 2; Volendam 2, Rick Washwis 0; FC Grontingen 3, Roda JC Kartovide 1; Vicessa Ambert 3, SVV Schedam 0; Foyencord 6, MIV Masericht 0; Wilson 1 6, Sperta Romerdem 1, Louding positions (other two matches): 1, Volendam, Apts; 2, FC Twente Enacheda, 4: 3, Feyercord, 3.

EAST GERBIAN LEAGUE: Vorwärts Frankfurt 4, Sechson Leipzig 0; Roz-Weles Erfurt 2, Chemmitz 1; Energie Cettous 3, Chemie Heile 0; FC Nagotburg 3, Carl Zales Jens 1; Dystram Dresden 0, Berlin FC 2; Hansa Rossock 2, Stahl Brandenburg 1; Lokomoliv Leipzig 3, Elserhingstadt 1, Leasting positions (effor three matches); 1, Worwitts Frankfurt, 4, Rossock 2, Stahl Brandenburg 1; Lokomoliv Leipzig 3, Elserhingstadt 1, Leasting positions (effor three matches); 1, Perfin FC, Spts; 2, Hansa Rossock 2, Stahl Brandenburg 1; Lokomoliv Leipzig 3, Elserhingstadt 1, Leasting positions CZECHOSLOVAK LEAGUE: Dukia

". ITALIAN SUPER CUP: Napoli 5, Juventus

chtw 1; Zaglebie Sosnowiec 0, LKS Lòciz
2; Hutsili Krakow 1, Igloopol Debics 1;
Stal Mielec Q, Lach Poznati 0; Ruch
Chorzow 1, GKS Katowics 1; Zawiezza
Bydgoszoz 0, Wista Krakow 0, Laesting
positions (after six metches): 1, Hutsik
Krakow, Spts; 2, GKS Katowics, 9; 3,
Zaglębie Lubin, 9,
PORTUGESS LEAGUE: Beira Mar 0, Gir Vicente 0; Benfica 2, Penefiel 0; Chawes 1,
Estrela Ge Amedica 0; Farense 2, Vidorie
Settübel 0; Meritimo 1, Vitorie Gulmariese
2; Porto 3, Boevista 1; Sporting Lisbon 6,
Seigueiros 1; Timense 1, Belevieness 0;
SPAMBIR LEAGUE: Tomorfie 1, Meteli Seguetos 1; Tirsense 1, Belgreress 0; SPANSSH LEAGUE; Tenerife 1, Adetic Bibso 0; Real Valladolid 1, Osasuna 1; Real Bets 2, Sporting Gilón 2; Valencia 1, Adetico Madrid 1; Real Madrid 1; Castalion 0; Real Oriedo 0, Sevis 0; Logrotès 1, Real Atlatorca 2; Real Sociedad 1, Real Zaragoza 0; Surgos 1, Cédiz 0; Español 0, Saroelona 1. WithSt LEAGUE; PC Arrau 1, Lugeno 1; Neuchitel Xamac 0, Graeshopper Zürich 0; St Gellen 2, Westinger 0; Serveta 2, Lucerna 3; Sion 2, Lausanna 1; Zürich 0, Young Boys 3.

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WEST GERMAN LEAGUE: Worder Bramen 3. Hamburger SV 1; Karlenute SC 2,
Bayern Munich 3; Vfl. Bochum O, Hohrscht
Frankfur It; SP paul 1, Bayer Undringen 1;
Borusale Mönchengleichzerh 2, Cologne 2;
VfB Skutigert 2, FC hibrariberg 1; Herfür
Borlin 3, Kalserstautern 4; Forhan
Duesseldorf O, Borusale Dorlmund O.

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Dominion Gold poised to make Timeless Times wait for record

(MICHAEL PHILLIPS)

HAVING failed to equal Provideo's record of 16 wins in a after an admirable second to season at Ripon eight days ago, Timeless Times tries again at Pontefract today

celebration, and once again I believe Timeless Times may find a stumbling block, this time in Dominion Gold.

Peter Easterby's charge put first-season sire Green up a commendable effort last But it goes against the grain to oppose Dominion Gold and Protector in the Prix Morny, beaten a total of four lengths.

. By Mandarin

2.45 Miss Pinocchio.

4.45 Regal Reform:

3.15 Fallow Deer.
3.45 Twilight Fiesta.
4.15 DOMINION GOLD (nap).

STATE OF STREET

dock and Ayr, the victory on the Lancashire track coming that good filly Chicarica in the Chesham Stakes at Royal Accot

ner Allinson's Mate is as tough as be is consistent, while Himiko, Barry Hills's raider from Manton, is a promising daughter of that successful

Kevin Darley, his jockey, would also have a chance of

By Our Newmarket

3.45 Flight Of Pleasure. 4.15 Timeless Times.

2.45 Snafee. 3.15 Topcliffe.

4.45 Access Ski. 5.15 Acqua Noir.

Selections

Michael Seely's selection; 2.45 Beckingham Ben.

2.45 WHITELANE APPRENTICE SERIES HANDICAP (Round 4: 22,532: 51) (14 runners)

Going: good to firm Draw: 5f-6f, low numbers best

longs.

I felt that the presence of Anjiz among his rivals at Because David Barron's run.

Gold and Timeless Times to win today's race for the Regal Reform to win today's race for the Regal Reform to win today's race for the Raj Waki, placed during at because David Barron's run.

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Before that Dominion Gold winning the Phil Bull Trophy husband Jeff on Heresheis, had won in fine style at Hay as well on Patience Camp Since she began contesting were she to recapture the similar races early in June, sparkle of last autumn that Heresheis has been a model of enabled her to win successive consistency, winning at Yarprizes at Yarmouth and mouth, Chepstow and Ripon, and also being placed second at Beverley, Cartisle and Haydock On each occasion

be better than ever this season, race won by the admirable Elmannul, is clearly the form horse for the Littlehampton

Eleven Lights to win the At Brighton, Lydia Pearce Filmeo Handicap Hurdle in has a good chance of winning preference to The Fink Sisters the Ladies' Handicap for her and Chasers' Bar

4.45 PHIL BULL TROPHY (\$2,978: 2m 2f) (5 runners)

. 1889: TOD 9-3 J Cerroli (7-4 tav) J Berry 0 ran

FORM FOCUS ALLINSON'S MATE | vite (6f, good to sort). TIMELESS TIMES returned of the weights lettest when fasing by (5f, good to sort). TIMELESS TIMES returned after a break in beat Poiss Patrot by 2 at Sabsbury performance at the weights lettest when fasing by (5f, good to firm) but was unclassed when 24t less only 14 to give Penny Ment 18th at Newmorker (6f, good to firm). DOMINION GCLD was very impressive when beeing Heard A Whisper by 8f at Ayr (6f, good) and ren well in defeat when 3th (but 41) to 12m) states.

Heart Provision in the Group 1 Prix Morny at DesuSelection: DOMINION GOLD

Old Vic pleases in gallop

OLD Vic delighted Steve Cauthen and Henry Cecil in a gallop at Nottingham yesterday and the dual Derby winner is now on target for his Arc preliminary in the Prix Foy at Longchamp on September 16 (Michael Seely writes). "All we need now is good

"All we need now is good going at Newmarket and in Paris," Cacil said. "If we get to him the Arc to our liking, I prefer him to anything else."
Cauthen rode Old Vic with Willie Ryan on Shellac, trained by Luca Comani. The two borses were galloping well before they passed the 10 furiong gate. Old Vic made his own running, quickened when challenged by Sheliac and won the gallop by about five lengths.
"That went well." Cauthen said, "but the ground was only just good enough so I was frightened of overdoing it. I let him build up momentum gradually."

4.15 TIMEFORM FUTURITY (2-Y-O: £3,557: 6f) (4 runners)

Memorable debut by Safa highlights Eddery's treble By Michael Seely sin's top two-year-old race,

RACING CORRESPONDENT

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NOTTINGHAM again lived up to its reputation 95 a nursery for young borses of high potential vesterday when Pat Eddery rode Safa to an impressive first time out win in the Usher Walker Maiden Fillies' Stakes.

In the past seven years, the subsequent classic winners Slip Anchor, Ob So Sharp and Salashii have all won here, and as Safa made every yard of the running she was following to the 1989 footsteps of Salsabil, this year's triple classic winner. Sumonda came late on the scene to finish second, one and a half lengths behind the winner with the even-money favourite Clipping a further five lengths away third.

Safa started a beavily-backed second favourite at 5-2 to win for Sheikh Ahmed Al-Maktoum and Alex Scott. The trainer had only arrived at Heathrow at 9am yesterday, having flown back from Chicago where he had watched Magie Gleam finish unplaced in the Beverly D Stakes.

"I wasn't going to miss seeing this filly run," be said. Bought for 330,000 guineas as a yearling at Newmarket Highflyer sales, Safa is by Shirley Heights out of the Spectacular Bid mare Bev-

Scott: introduced a taleridge. "She'll be better as a three-year old." said Scott. "I want to run ber in the Brent Walker Mile at the Ascot September meeting. I think she'll get that trip all right, even

though there's a lot of speed in her pedigree as she comes from the same family as Ajdal." Of Scott's other useful twoyear-olds, Jameelaty is travel-ling to Ireland at the weekend for the Moyglare Stud Stakes at the Curragh while Anjiz, so impressive at Ripon, is now on Dewburst Stakes.
Pat Eddery, in such brilliant form in Paris on Sunday, once again dominated the proceedings by landing a 47-1 treble with Circus Light, Safa and Northern Hal

Northern Hal. Circus Light, trained by Salsabil's handler, John Dun-lop, made most of the running when beating the 11-10 favourite Matahif by eight lengths. The trainer was not at Nottingham, but his assistant, Marcus Hosgood, said: "We've no firm

plans. He may have only one more race as he's likely to be better as a three-year old." Eddery's win on Northern Hal was gained only after a thrilling finish with Steve Cauthen on Adamik in the Canadian Pacific Newspriot Fi-nal Score Stakes. The photo-

graph showed that Northern Hall had prevailed by a short head.
Owned by Caroline Waters
and trained by Peter Walwyn,
yesterday's winner had previously run disappointingly st Newmarket. "Pat went to the front a bit too soon," said Pat MacEwan, the assistant trainer. Balwa, trained by Alex Scott and ridden by Paul Eddery, contests the £20,547 Prix d'Arenberg at Longchamp to-day. Pat Eddery rides Polemic for Khaled Abdulla.

Turfaim Dayjur odds-on for for Golden Haydock feature Pheasant

appointing tenth of 11. However, Steinlen will return to a mile in defence of his Breeders' Cup Mile title. Trainer Wayne Lukas has abandoned plans to challenge for the Queen Elizabeth II Stakes at Ascot Garu Stewage and Stakes at Ascot Garu Stewage County of the Coun

Gary Stevens, successful on Golden Pheasant, also rode Astro to win the Teleprompter Stakes with Philip Mitchell's My Pal Popeye 24 lengths third.

Million details

Geing: firm ARLINGTON MILLION (Grade): £372,670; ARLINGTON MILLION (Strate I: 13/2.6/u: 1m 2f bur)

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1, GCLDEN PHEASANT (S. Steward); 2, With Approved (C. Perrott: S. Steknes Li Sartou). ALSO RAN: Classic Farms (4th), Double Bootsed, Alwuhush, El Senor, Prized, Piessent Variety, Saratoga Passega, Ten Koys. 11 ret. C. Whitongham. Distances: 11, 31. Pari-mutuel (Inc. \$2 usato): \$15.20; place [1-2] \$7.60, \$5.20; https://doi.org/10.100/10.

GOLDEN Pheasant has the Breeders' Cup Turf over 1½ sponsors for the Ladbroke miles at Belmont Park on October 27 as his principal objective following his win in the ten-furlong Arlington Million on Sunday evening.

The four-year-old will be remembered in Europe as the horse which ended Nashwan's Prix Maurice de Gheest at horse which ended Nashwan's Deauville last month, and Royal Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Academy, successful in the the ambitions last year by beating Triomphe Prix Maurice and Control of the five-furlong course record at York by more than a second when landing the Keeneland Nun-horse which has put him at least 00 a par with the best sprinters to

Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe ambitions last year by beating him in the Prix Nicl.

"There's s lot of money in the Breeders' Cup and I want him fresh," said trainer Charlie Whittingham, saddling his third winner of the Million, "I don't have to run him before then, it's only seven weeks away,"

Golden Phesant could be reopposed at Belmont by Million runner-up With Approval and the favourite Prized, a disappointing tenth of II. However, Steinlen will return to a

par with the best sprinters to have raced in Europe over the

past decade.
Ladbrokes offer 5-1 against Dayjur beating Haydock's elec-tronically-timed six-furlong course record of Imin 11.64sec, although with an extra furlong to travel and the ground at present good rather than fast, he has rather more on his plate than at York.

(HAYDOCK ACCEPTORS: ...

Advance going: good

2.45 LADBROKE SPRINT CUP (Group I: £100,000 added; 6f) (nine five-

2-2124 GREAT CORRIOTTON DI (M. Al-Abakteuri) A. Scott 4-9-9.

15305 LUGANA BEACH (D) (R. Richards) (D. Sworth 4-9-9.

1-2062 STATUBLEST (D) (R. Duchoscos) I. Cuman 4-9-9.

1-2072 DUCK AND DIVE (D.BF) (J. Horgan) R. Harmon 3-9-6.

2-21221 SHORT VICTORY (D) (J. Mosc) A. Fabruar (Fri 3-6.

10-02) TOD (D) (C.Fr.) J. Berry 3-9-6.

11-0251 DEAD CERTAIN (D) (Com G. Marten) O. Elsworth 3-9-3.

11-0252 PHARDAN'S GELKRIT (D) (A-Deera Bioossock Ltd) P. Hudson 3-9-3.

SDONGA'S herblook: 4-6 Dead Certain, Royal Academy. 8-1 Graxt Sponsor's betting: 4-5 Daylur, 5-1 Dead Certain, Royal Academy, 8-1 Great Commonon, 10-1 Ron's Victory, 18-1 Statoblest, 40-1 Pharoan's Designt, 50-1 Lugana

1989: DANEHILL 3-9-5 Pat Eddery (3-1) J Tree 9 ran

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Selections

By Mandarin 2.15 White Jasmin. 2.45 Eleven Lights. 3.15 Speech. 3.45 Midland Express. 4.15 Ivoroski. 4.45 Roschip.

Going: firm 2.15 JOHN WADE HAULAGE CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS SELLING HURDLE (51,660: 2m) (7

P WHAT A MISS 25 W A Simphenson 3-10-0 A Lamach (3) 2-1 Ahsanta Serie, 3-1 Peddy's Glen, 11-2 What A Miss, 7-1 Miss Alcazar, White Jasmin, 12-1 others.

2.45 FILMCO HANDICAP HURDLE (£1,687: 2m 4f) (8) 1 /FF MASTER LAMB 17 (D.F.C.S.) J J O'Nell 7-11-10 2 46-1 ELEVEN LIGHTS 17 (CD,P) Mrs G Reveloy 6-11-8 F Mires 3 51-2 CHASERS' BAR 32 (CD,F) J Swiers 5-11-3 Mr 9 Swiers (3)
4 F32- CHEPCHASE 102 (CD,F,G,S) 8 Wilders (3)
5 59-1 THE FINK SISTERS 32 (D,F) T Currenghern 7-10-3 S Currengham

8 CHAMPAGNE CHARLE 7F (CD.F.Q.S) Mrs 2 August 13-10-1 O Wildow 7 315- FIEL MONTY 99 (BF,F) Denys Smith 4-10-0... 0 37-4 STEPAUL 8 (B,D,F) P Blockley 6-10-0... P Mid 15-8 Master Lumb, 11-4 Eleven Lights, 8-1 Chasers' Bar, 15-2 Chipchuse, 10-1 Full Monty, 12-1 others.

3.15 CHILTON AND WINDLESTONE WORKING MENS CLUB HANDICAP CHASE (£2,143: 3m 2f

150)d) (3)
1 3111 SPEECH 1 F7 W A Stephenson 7-12-4 (Bex). C Grant 2 -233 TARA BOY 10 R France 5-10-2 ______ 5 J O'Note a P32- BOXO 101 (BF) J Charton 8-10-0 ______ 2 Storey 4-11 Speech, 7-2 Tara Boy, 5-1 Bbdo.

3.45 RAISBY QUARRIES NOVICES CHASE (£2,010: 2m 4f) (6)

1 U/ BRUSHFORD 1055 J Wade 8-11-0 K Josep 2 3-52 COPPER MARKET 10 M Hammond 7-11-0 8 Storey 3 245- JUPITER'S GLORY 133 (C,G) W A Stephanson 8-11-0 4 FOO- MICLAND EXPRESS 137 (CD,F,S) Denys Smith 7-11-0 5 03-4 RARE LAD 10 N Mitter 8-11-0 PHEINER (7) 0 SSM; GO-ONKATIE 455 T Cunningham 7-10-9 5 Cunningham 13-8 Jupiter's Glory, 3-1 Midland Express, 9-2 Copper Market, 5-1 Pare Lad, 10-1 Go-Onkete, 14-1 Brushford.

4.15 BATTLE OF BRITAIN APPEAL NOVICES HURDLE (21,576: 2m) (10)

11-8 Electhern, 3-1 Proroski, 5-1 Chentry Bartle, 5-1 Gustry, 6-1 Lingham Magic, 10-1 Kilronan, 12-1 others.

4.45 DEEP PURPLE NOVICES HURDLE (21,508: 1 406/ PLAN OF ATTACK 481 T Cunningham 8-10-12

2 58- ROSESET 110 W A Stephenson 5-10-12 _____ C Great
3 -022 UPWELL 10 R Johnson 6-10-12 _____ C Great
4 54-5 FILI FOLIA 10 R Swiers 6-10-7 _____ Nr S Swiers (3)
5 4-33 SEA ARROW 17 J Lugh 5-10-7 ____ Gwry Lyons (3)
6 06- ACE DF PUMICINDS 89 F Storny 4-10-5 ___ a Steroy
7 6-0 EM-KAY-EM 10 M Hemmond 4-10-5 ____ O Bendby (7) 11-4 Sea Arrow, 7-2 Rosehip, 4-1 Upwell, 6-1 Plan Of Attack, 6-1 Em-Key-Em, 10-1 Pili Folia, 14-1 Ace Of Diamonds.

Course specialists TRAINERS: J J O'Neill. 12 winners from 53 runners, 22.6%; F S Storey, 4 from 19, 21.1%; C R Beever, 5 from 26, 19.2%; MrsG R Reveley, 30 from 156, 19.2%; U M Moore, 17 from 97, 17.5%; W A Stephenson, 73 from 429, 17.1%. JOCKEYS: M Dwyer, 34 winners from 136 rides, 24.5%; O Byrne, 6 from 37, 24.3%; C Gram, 57 from 290, 19.7%; P Niven, 3-1 from 202, 16.8%; Mr 0 Swiers, 16 from 85, 11.6%. (Only qualifiers).

Results from yesterday's two meetings

Nottingham

Going good to firm
2.0 (6) 1, MAY REEF (J Oulnin, 11-2); 2,
Sugride Envoy (J Lowe, 10-1); 3, St. 60 A
Lark (S Perks, 10-1), ALSO RAN: 5 fav Unwanted Treasure, 11-2 My Abra, Spinochiller, 7 Yillage Pet (8th), 8 Amandhia
[4th), 12 Terrhars, Mess Formidars, Lucky
Manley (5th), 39 Armez Deux, 12 ran, Sh
hd, 154, 351; 54, 54, A Lee at Newmarket,
Tons: E4.20; E1.90, E5.00, E4.00, DF:
E78.50, CSF: E56.02, Tricast: E506.10, Eth
Of A Lark Brisched 2nd but after a
stewards enquiry was placed third.
2.20 (tim SOvd) 1. CIRRCUS LIGHT (Pet Stewards' enquiry was placed third.

2.30 (Im 50yd) 1, CIRCLIS LIGHT (Pet Eddery, 4-1; 2, Metahif (W Carson, 11-10 fey; 3, Noseb (W R Swinburn, 10-1), ALSO RAM: 8 Dreams Eyes, 12 Tracy's Pricce (5th, 25 Inca Affirmation, Needham Led., 33 No Sid No Sers, 50 Bettiers Green (6th), Bolgheri, Irish Value, One For The Chief, Peroold Hill, Qualitair Sound (6th), Schwartz, Signsofthamineties, Seachthy linge, 17 rez. 8, 14, 3, 14, 3, 14, 3, 1, Dunlop at Arundal, Tota: \$4.70; \$1.80, \$1.10, E3.40. DF: \$2.50, CSF: \$27.98. E1.10. E3.40. DF: E2.90. CSF: E7.98.

3.8 (1m S) 1. HENRYIK (L. Dettort, 5-1)s-favi; 2. White River (S Bastor, 12-1); 3. Apaimore (J Wistams, 12-1); 4. Salpanni Pat Eddery, 14-1). ALSO RAN: 5 (s-fav Link Market (Sh), 7-1 a Edderne, Andreior, 9 Casplan Gates (Sh), Spring Morn, Spring To Glory, 12 Turmeric, Coseme Dencer, Lady Remainder, 14 To Be Fatr, 20 Lusga. 25 in Dreams, 53 Hidden Quiver, Sprint Away, Headtoe, Street Talk. 20 ran. %1, sh hd, 31, sh hd, 8. 8 Curley at Newmarkst. Tobs: E11.20; E2.90, ES.90, 24.40, 24.20. DF: £285.40. CSF: £73.97. Thicset 1578.79.

Tricast 1878.79.
3.30 (6) 1, SAFA (Pet Edilory, 5-2); 2, Samonde (3 Certer, 16-1); 3. Clipping (5 Cauthen, overs lay). ALSO RAM: 15-2 No Mistress (40), 12 Fort Issae. 20 Racter's Dancer (60), 25 Leavy in Red (50), Russian Mink, 33 Dancing Street. Eastern Aura, Ganton Gorse, Ginr in The Eye, Harn Bay, Labeeba. Lovesloch. Our Assang, Printees Modens, Replicase, Sunburst Princess, 50 Angrove Creary, Daylors Double, Daydayai, Quelitair Song, Smittingstatrangers, Troublewitt sack. 25 ran. NR: Lincoln Green, 1141, 61, 11, 14, 21. A Scott at Newmertort. Total: 13.40, 61.40, 61.50. DF: 216.30. CSF: 268.38.
4.0 (110: 27) 1, ARBOR VITAE (W.Carson.

\$1.50. DF: \$2.20. CSF: \$4.25.

\$.0 (1m 5)vd) 1, ARRIVARK (A Culhane, 5-1 lav); 2, Pannier Dance (T Willams, 20-1); 3, Newweegae (W Carson, 71); 4, King Of Milleen (J Held, 15-2), ALSO
RAN: 8 Hebets (6th), Regent's triet, Mexicur Vision, 10 Xafu Xafu, Dodger Duclais,
12 Peputy Trm, My Diemond Ring, 14 Tender Bid, Identon Roed (5th), King Trevisio,
16 Vallant Sant, 20 Singing Gold, 25
Everling Start, 33 Astrid Silberton, King Of
The Clouds, Ledy Longleet, 20 ran. 4, ½1,
½1, 11, 12, R Writation of W Wererby, Toxs.
\$2.70; \$1.50, \$1.420, \$1.10, \$2.20, DF:
\$2.20.20, CSF: \$1.12, 97. Tricast; \$888,17.
Placepore \$151.60.

Hexham

Genty firm
2.15 (2m hole) 1, LORD RINUS (N
Doughty, 20-1); 2, Assbah (M Dwyer, 8-1)
Inv. 3, Laven Baby (P Newn, 12-1); ALSO
RAN: 7-2 Royel Mazz (5th), 10 King
Cracker, Rambow Bridge (4th), 11 Supreme Court (6th), 7 ran, 154, 34, 21, 10,
20, 13 Richards of Grystoke, Tote 97,40;
24.10, 21.10. DF: £11.10, CSF: £35.87, 2.45 (2m ch) 1. WESTERN REVIVAL (C Grant, 11-2); 2. Confident Vote (P Niven, 3-1); 3. Keep Straight (M Moloney, 11-4). ALSO RAN: 6-4 fav Azusa (f). 4 ran. 1½], 251. W A Stephenson at Bischop Auckland. Tota: 25.70. DF: 25.60. CSF: £18.28. 3.15 (2m ht/s) 1, TiGER TIGER (M Lesso, 7-4 tav); 2, Golden Image (B Storay, 15-8); 3, Penilyne's Price (A Juckes, 4-1), ALSO RAN: 9 Gelwer, Lady 4.0 (1m 2) 1, ARSOR VITAE (W Carson, 6th), 12 Carreton Bay (6th), 20 Mighty 6-1); 2, Western Lock (M Roberts, 6-1); 3, Supremo (4th), 8 rbn, 71, 101, 121, 41, dist.

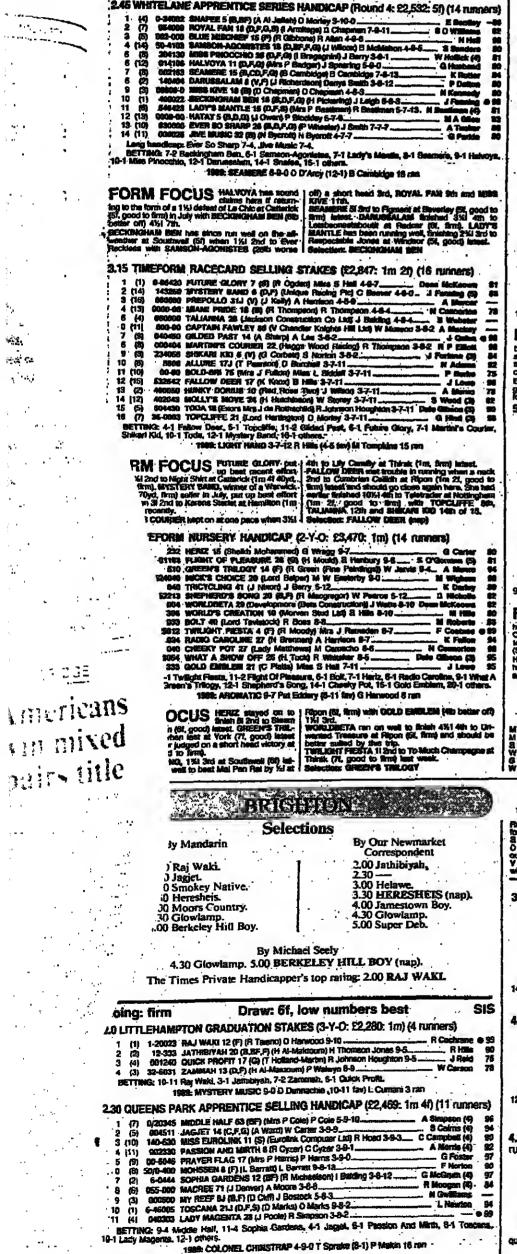
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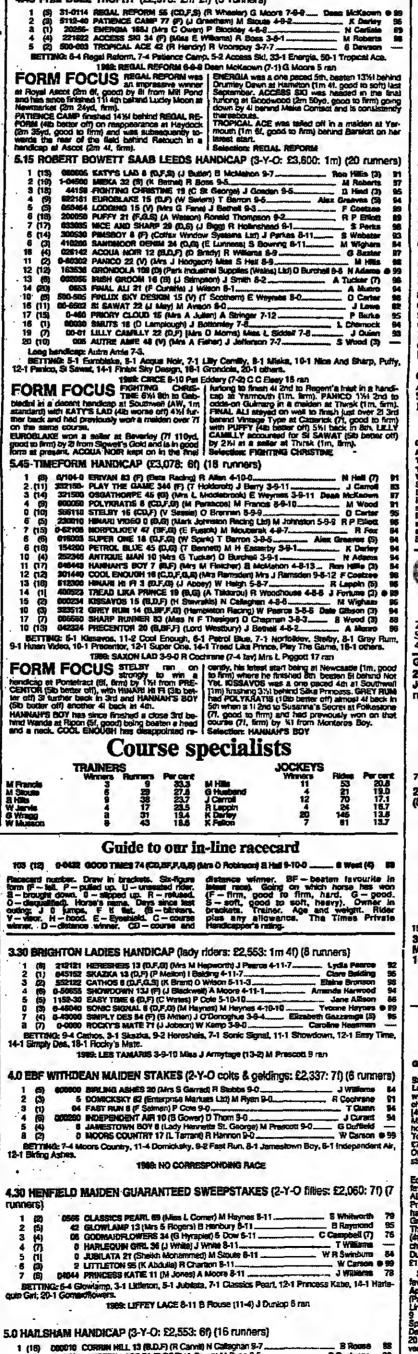
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Can we afford the true cost of sporting success? give up when he gets tired." Dr Dan Tunstall Pedoe, the

THE price of Britain's success in the European championships could include severe physical around by someone by the time I am 50, so I may as well have a few pounds in my back pocket should handicaps for the athletes them-selves in their old age. They are not alone in risking permanent physical damage in their quest for success. There is increasing concern that the training required for international sport can eventually lead to medical problems, particularly arthritis.

Steve Backley, the javelin world record holder, said that his ambition of adding the world and Olympic gold medals to his European title could find him ending up as "a millionaire or a cripple in

a wheelchair". He said: "At 21, I'm only too aware that I'm wrecking my body by throwing two or three times a week. The strain is constant and enormous, both physically and psychologically. Because of all the pressure put on the body, I will probably have to be wheeled

it happen."

Backley said that his throwing elbow is "a mess"; that Mick Hill, his British colleague, has already had three operations on his left knee and to coristone injections, and that Uwe Hohn, from East Germany, had to retire because "all the wear resulted in fractured

The risk of long-term injuries in contact sports like football, judo, boxing and rugby is under-standable because of the constant shock to the body when an opponent blocks, throws, tackles or hits it.

Gordon Brown, the former British Lions second-row forward, wrote in his autobiography: "The normal wear and tear of rugby is demanding enough on anyone's body, but because I have played too often with injuries, yet un-

I'm going to be in by the age of 60. I know how many joints are always bothering me at the tender age of 35, so that my only hope is that sometime during the next decade or so a remedy is found for exhibits.

It is partly the growing im-portance of competition that is increasing this concern, but more particularly it is the amount of training necessary for inter-national success. No one knows what will be the long-term effect on the knees and back of a weightlifter exercising four hours a day, or on the legs of a triple jumper, because no detailed stud-ies have been undertaken.

A report by the Arthritis and Rheumatism Council said there was no evidence that activities like jogging, particularly if they are carried out in a recreactional manner, brought with them "a measurable risk of arthritis".

Dr Terry Gibson, of Guy's Hospital, London, who contributed to the research in 1986, was worried about the removal of the knee cartilage. Some research showed that if a cartilage was torn and removed it might lead to osteo-arthritis and difficulty in walking in later life. This is the common operation that Colin Jackson, the European 110 metres hurdles ehampion, faces this win-ter, and has been carried out on thousands of sportsmen and

Gibson said: "The ligaments in the knee joint, too, are important. If these are ruptured and not properly treated, this leads to abnormal movement which can result in osteo-arthritis. People with lax joints which move more than average are prone to more

Yet even in a non-contact sport like athletics, far too many leading competitors are participating when injuries are not healed, and to allow them to exercise when the body is demanding rest. Dr Ivan Williams, the medical

director of the Horder Centre for Arthritis in Crowborough, accepted that there had been no long-term trials involving top class sportsmen compared to the ordinary population. "However, we do see degenerative changes in people's joints which are due to sport," he said. Williams referred to the chronic

shoulder problem of Richie Benaud, the former Australian spin bowler, the likely effect on the legs of fast bowlers when they stamp the ground in their delivery stride, and the possible problem for badminton players with repetitive overhead shots. He said: "There is a lot of circumstantial evidence, but we are talking about outstanding competitors, not the club performer who is trained to

medical director of the London Sports Medicine Institute, said: This is so anxiety but there simply have been no long-term studies. However, if intensive training were as bad as some people have made out; then there would already be much more evidence. A disproportionate number of former competitors would be suffering from arthritis." He also said that aithough Lord Burghley, the 1928 Olympic 400 metres hurdles champion, and John Disley, the 1952 steeplechase bronze medal winner, had undergone hip replacements, it is an advantage to have shallow hips for clearing barriers, and their medical condition may have been due to their anatomical build rather

than their training. Dr Peter Sperryn, author of Sport And Medicine, said the teason no long-term studies have

championship is three months away, there will have been considerable debute already about Alan Buzza's future. His divisional past has been with the South-West, primarily as a replacement, now that he is sentled in London; bowever, there is no doubt that the divisional champions will take a keen interest in his intentions.

Buzza, a Cornishman, has much on his plate at the moment, after completing his studies at Cambridge he takes up a teaching posinon at Harrow this week. Since his subject is mathematics he should be able to work our some of the

able to work out some of the angles for himself, but at the

was to ministry out at the same time be must convince, imitally, the club selectors at Wasps that it is he who should be their first-choice full back, ahead of Steve Pilgrim.

Judging by Buzza's display for Wasps on Sunday against Racing Club de France, Pilgrum, last season's London full back, appreciates already the extent of

the challenge. Not that the game was typical of what lies ahead

for Buzza, since the French backs asked questions rarely posed in English league rugby, indeed, he admitted that much

of the game was spent covering desperately from one side of the puch to the other in an attempt to anticipate where the next French thrust would come.

Buzza has yet to decide for which division to opt, but

should be be preferred by Wasps to Pilgrim, himself an under-21 and B international, then his

main opponent in London

Harlequins. The South-West, meanwhile, who play a friendly

against Leinster at Gloucester next Wednesday, would love to

would be Swart Thresher, from

THOUGH the divisional

cohorts of heavy trainers are only now becoming middle-aged. He said he was now waiting for gymnasts, who have complained of backache, to have even more severe problems to their middle age. Gymnasts are forced to contort their bodies to attempt movements completed by more physically adept world champions, because the international

sport adjusts itself to the standards set by the gold medal-winners.

He is particularly concerned at the "over-selling" of exercise for the wrong reasons, and his pref-erence for a correct lifestyle of not over-drinking, not smoking, and moderate, sensible activity. He had a "strong gut feeling that too many people are over-training and over-straining their bodies. "I do not think it is right to

> than Webb and, should be find a regular first-team place over the oext few weeks, Audley Lumsden. Webb, of course, has

> aiready won 16 caps for England while the other two have both played for England B.

While Buzza contemplates a weekend in Newcastle with the England squad as his next communent, the North, too, have invested in a new full back

by picking lan Numer for their friendly against Lancashur, the county champions, next Tues-day. Hunter, who has played representative student ragby,

has been a major contributor to

division and will welcome the trist division and will welcome the chance to play in an otherwise all-international back division.

The North had intended playing an early-season fixture with Glasgow, but now Lancashire will oblige them at Ortell, They

have even given the division first choice of players so that Heslop, Morris, Hitchen, South-

ern, Kimmins and Cusani will play against their own county.

play against their own county.

Leicester, who provided England with John Liley, their full back, in Argentina during the summer, play the touring Romanians today at Welford Road. They will be without Brian Smith, who was required yesterday by Leinster, his Irish province, but there are several members of Leicester's first-team squad whom the club selectors wanted to see in this

selectors wanted to see in this

evening's game, among them

Dodge, the England under-2t lock, Poote, and Harris, the

recontracted DIVISION (v Lancashire, Sepamber 11) Hussee (Northampton), N Heates (Ortrad), & Simais (Linespool St. Helens), & Barley (Waterleid), II Understood (Lalcastor), O Pears (Harriquine), II Bloris (Ortraf), & Whiteceste (Sale), & Hitches (Orrel), II Southern (Ortraf), & Hodgeon (Sale), II (Sauthern (Ortraf), D Cussua (Ortraf), & Winterbottom (Farit-quins), A MacCarlane (Sale).

All-seater

stadium to

cost £11m

By ALAN LORIMER

SCOTLAND'S international

stadium at Murrayfield is un-

likely to become an all-seated ground tunnl the year 2000. Bill Hogg, the Scottish Rugby Union

secretary, said yesterday that following the Taylor Report on

the safety of grounds, the present cost of an all-seated stadium would be about £11

The least expensive way of

meeting the requirements of the Taylor Report would be to build

ends to connect with the existing

scated facilities. The new cas

stand was completed only eight

years ago and according to Hogg, the much older west stand, which was constructed

with steel and concrete, is in

very good condition and ab-solutely OK from a safety point of view." The overall capacity will be down from 58,000 at this

nme last season to 54,000.
The Scotland team will be at

pursue your exercise until you break. It is not intelligent from a health point of view," he said.

RUGBY UNION

Buzza the Wasp

feels lure of

London's colours

By DAVID HANDS, RUGBY CORRESPONDENT

Crawley's talent shines among the seven orders of player competing in second XI cricket

Lancashire stroll to their third one-day success of summer

By SIMON WILDE

won toss): Lancashire beat Somerset by eight wickets WITH batting of the highest pedigree from the Crawley brothers, John and Mark, Lancashire yesterday won their third one-day trophy of the season when their second XI swept to an emphatic victory in the Bain Clarksoo Trophy final.

The Crawleys shared an unbroken partnership of 130 set's total of 201 for seven with 20 balls to spare. John Crawley, aged 18, who played barely a false stroke, won the man-of-the-match award for his unbeaten 85.

The nature of second XI cricket is strange. Nobody who plays it either wishes or expects to remain doing so for long. Players are either on their way up in the game, or oo their way down; or are passing through. Most hope that io the future they will be

playing somewhere else. There are seven types of cricketer to be found in the county seconds. There are the first-team caps who, for obvious reasons innited to two per side in this competitioo. Yesterday, Lancashire fielded Austin, fresh Somerset's one capped player attempt by Somerset to ac- five years.

OLD Trafford (Lancashire was Gard, who captains the quire late runs. The pitch was won toss): Lancashire beat second team and will retire at not conducive to strokeplay the end of the season. Somerset called on two established first XI men in Hayhurst, who batted through 45 overs against his former county for 64, and Lefebvre.

Then, there are the formerly established first-class players. These can be divided into two categories: those who are unlikely to regain a place in the higher ranks, and those who to carry their side past Somer- probably will. Folley, who only two years ago was being talked of as a potential England player, appears increas-ingly likely to be among the former. He took the first wicket to fall, that of Fletcher, who was clearly stumped, but otherwise failed to dominate

> Bartlett, of Somerset, may, however, have a brighter future. He contributed a pugnacious 71 off 83 balls. sharing a secood-wicket stand of 93 with Hayhurst, ironically, the man who has deprived him of a regular firstteam place. Bartlett, though,

striving to secure a regular in doubt. place in the first XL Among Bain Clarkson yesterday an-

Lancashire faces early test

drawn away to Staffordshire,

with the prize, a home match against their Midlands rivals,

not conducive to strokeplay and Somerset lost six wickets for 41 runs in eight overs.

One player who certainly will establish himself, is Gra-ham Lloyd, despite his dismissal to an outswinger from Hallett early in Lancashire's reply. There are also those who have probably found their natural level in the second team, and their sort is perhaps the most numerous.

The seventh and final type of second XI man is he for whom greatness beckons. It is so that he can prepare for the future, cut his teeth and get his eye in, that second XI cricket is principally staged. The pleasure io watching it is to catch a glimpse of an unfinished but potentially beautiful

Yesterday, John Crawley, came in io the seventh over of Lancashire's innings. He anoouoced himself with an exquisitely timed four off his legs. He did not score again for seven overs, hut when he did. it was with a superb coverhas been scoring heavily in the second XI this season.

driven boundary off Swallow.
Although be lost Speak at 72, There are those who are after that, the result was never

from the NatWest Trophy, those who may not do so are nounced that they are to who kept things tight io the Atkinson and Swallow, who extend their sponsorship of elosing overs, and Folley. lost their wickets in a vain the competition for a further



Pulling power: Hayhurst, of Somerset, bits Fitton to leg at Old Trafford yesterday

50 overs to wio their Sectoard Tronby match at Hove. The pair

shared an opening stand of 86 in 26 overs, Piper striking seven fours of 92 balls.

Surrey lost Grahame Clintoo for eight when Tun Muntoo had

him caught behind with the score oo 24, and shortly before tea. Roger Twose held on to spectacular catch on the square

leg boundary to send back Darren Bicknell for 33. At tea,

Surrey had reached 89 for two off 25 overs.

Sri Lanka struggled against Somerset as they chased a target

of 263 to wio the tour match at

Tauoton. Graham Rose took the first four wickets to fall as the Sri Laokans slumped to 96

for 6 at tea. Earlier, Somerset scored 262 for five off their 48

Essex secure place in final without Gooch

ESSEX will meet Hampshire in today's final of the Festival Asif Dto top-scored with Trophy at Scarborough after a comprehensive 82-run wie over Yorkshire. Their total of 247 for seven io 50 overs proved too intimidating a target for the home team, who collapsed to 165 all out in 47.2 overs.

The Essex captain, John Stephenson, leading the side in the absence of Graham Gooch, completed a fine all-round performance by taking three for 42 to add to his 57 runs, but the man-of-the-match award went to Paul Prichard, who his 86 from 96 balls with two sixes and

six fours. The stand between Stephen-son and Prichard produced 143 runs io 33 overs, and Yorkshire never matched such strokeplay in kind. Indeed, their ton scorer was David Bairstow, making B farewell appearance before being released at the end of this season. He hit 36 from 56 bails overs with Peter Roebuck top-with four boundaries before scoring with 95 off 106 balls.

Batting

Sponsorship a boost for Durham BRITISH Gas Northern have Asif Dio top-scored with 51 and Keith Piper hit 44 as Warwickshire set Surrey 229 in

announced a five-year £140,000 package in an at-tempt to bring first-class cricket to Durham. The sponsorship deal with Durham County Cricket Club comes as the club awaits a decision on its county championship application.

James Marris, the company chairman, said it would be "an opportunity to be part of a new success story ... and provide facilities which we will be pleased to use to help attract new companies and customers to the north." • Graeme Hick, of Worcestershire, won the sin-

gle-wicket challenge at the National Garden Festival on Tyneside yesterday. He fin-ished with 447 points, 318 more than the runner-up. Graham Gooch, LEADING FIRST-CLASS AVERAGES

retain Buzza's services but have a reasonable hand of full backs at Bath alone from whom to choose: Jonathan Callard, Jona-Australia look to

By DAVID HANDS

the future

WILLIE Ofsheogase, the discovery of Australia's Bledisloe Cup series against New Zealand last month, is one of six senior internationals who of six senior internationals who will tour Europe with an Australian party of emerging players next month. A party of 27, under the captaincy of Tim Kava, will begin an eight-match tour against England Students and England B.

Ofahengaue played in all three internationals in New Zealand, including the last when the Wallsheet ended the All

the Wallabies ended the All Blacks four-year undefeated run. Two more forwards, Dan Crowley and Rob Lawton, both props, and three backs, Paul Cornish, Jason Little, both cen-tres, and David Knox, the stand-off half, have also been

capped.
The Australian Rugby Union plans to offer experience of European conditions to players of potential.



The Scotland team will be at Murrayfield on November 10. when they play Argenona. For that match the first squad session will be on September 30. The national squad weekend in March will be at St Andrews where the Scots will be based at the Old Course Calford Course. the Old Course Golf and Coun-

For the World Cup European qualifying tournament in Italy next, mooth, where the host nation, Spain, The Netherlands and Romania will be competing for the two places in the final, Scotland is to supply two of the

McGeechan's new role

THE Barbarians have broken with tradition and appointed lan McGeechan, the coach who guided Scotland to the five nations' championship grand siam last season, so coach to the invitational XVs which will meet England at Twickenham on September 29 and Wales, in

Cardiff, a week later.
The Barbanans have gencrally done without the services of B coach, and have never previously appointed one for more than a single match, but the club — which is celebrating its centenary - sees McGeechan as the ideal figure to overcome

referees, Ray Megson and Brian On the control of the game Hogg said: "The International Board welcomed the strong line taken by international referees.

The only possible stumbling

the problem of welding a team from a screech squad of players. block to the appointment could be if McGeechan has difficulty in taking further time off from his duties as a teacher. He hopes

to resolve that when the new school term starts, "This is an unexpected extra and after taking time off with Scotland and for two major tours in the past two years, I just hope I will be able to take it on." he said. The Barbarians will also play Bradford and Bingley on October 2 to mark that chip?

Delil en lital

ettractive tie between Somerset and Middlesex. Somerset's first-round match gives them the chance of re-

tled oo Lancashire's NatWest Trophy success at Lord's on Saturday than they learnt yes-terday that they face a testing away tie against Hampshire, beaten semi-finalists, in the second round of next season's competition. The proviso is that both must heat their Minor Counties oppo-

SCARCELY had the dust set-

nents, Dorset and Berkshire, in the first round, which features its usual crop of David v Goliath battles and a single meeting between first-class counties, Warwickshire and That is a repeat of a secondround encounter at Headingley this summer, in which York-

shire triumphed by ten wickets after Warwickshire had scored 241 for nine. The wioners this time will be at home to Derbyshire, assuming they survive a visit to one of the strongest Minor Counties, Hertfordshire Northamptonshire, who lost to Lancashire in a disappoint-ingly one-sided final, have been Leicestershire, in the second round. Also on offer is 60 venge over Buckinghamshire.

winners by seven runs at High Wycombe in 1987, while Middlesex must cross the water to face Ireland. Sussex may have more

ualms about travelling north of the border to play Scotland, with the incentive almost certainly a second-round tie at home to x. In the first round, Essex visit Devon, who conceded a record-breaking 413 for four against Somerset in this season's competition and were trounced by 346 runs.

The draw for the opening two rounds is made so far in advance to enable the matches to be incorporated in the English fixtures when they are published in the autumn.

The 1991 list will see several changes. Many Britannic Assurance county championship matches will start on Tuesdays and Fridays (instead of Wednesdays and Saturdays) and the NatWest second round on Thursday, although the other rounds will be played on the usual Wednesdays.

FIRST DOUNO: Beditordahire v Worcescrature: Berkshire v Hampshire; Devon v Essex: Dorset v Lancasture; Durham v Glamorgan: Gloucestershire v Norlob; Herdordahire v Derbystire; keland v Miodlesca: Kenri v Cambridgeshire; Leuestarshire v Strogshire; Nottinghamshire v Lincolnshire; Sodland v Sustex; Somerate v Buckinghamshire; Sustex; Somerate v Northamptonehire; Surrey v Oxfordshire; Warvickistra v Yorishire imatches to be Dayed on Wednesday.

SECOND ROUND: Bedfordshire or Wor-SECOND ROUND: Sectordshire or Worcestershire v Durhern or Glamorgan;
Berkshire or Hampshire v Dorset or
Lancashire: Gloucestershire or Norfolk v
Notanghamshire or Lincolnshire. Scotland
or Sussex v Devon or Essex: Somerset or
Budanghamshire v Iretand or Middlesex:
Staffordshire or Northampsonshire v
Lascestershire or Shropshire; Surrey or
Oxfordshire v Kent or Camphidgeshire;
Warweckshire or Yorkshire v Hertlordshire
or Derbyshire (mauches to be played on
Thursday, July 11).

EBOARDS

(YESTE	RDAY'S SCORE
Tour Match Som v Sri Lankans AUNTON (Sri Lankans won loss): The Str Lankans, with three wickets in hand, need 124 runs in 11 overs to beat	(D Swellow c Sharp b Austin

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-49, 2-142, 3-151, 4-152, 5-175, 6-175, 7-183. SOMERSET
S J Cook c Mananame to Remanayake
G T J Townseno run out
P M Roebuck c and b Madarusinghe 30WUNG: Martin 11-2-46-1: Sharp 11-2-34-0: Folloy 11-1-35-1: Austin 11-1-33-2: Fitton 11-0-44-2. LANCASHIRE

Total (2 wkts, 51.4 overs) . S P Titchard, I D Austin, J O Fitton, I Folley, P J Mantin, †T Wallwork and M Sharp did not bet. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-28, 2-72. BOWLING: Ramaneyake 6-0-47-2; Wickemasinghe 10-1-45-0; Gurusinghe 11-0-59-1; Wijegunawardana 9-0-50-0; BOWLING: Haffett 11-2-54-1; Lefebyre 9-1-30-0; Hayferst 9.4-0-48-0; Swaffow 11-2-30-1; Trump 11-1-38-0. Umpires: PJ Sele and J H Henris.

Seeboard Trophy: Surrey v Warwicks

es: A A Jones and P B Wight Bain Clarkson

2nd XI Trophy: Somerset v Lancs OLD TRAFFORD (Lancashire 2nd 20 won toss): Lancashire 2nd 30 best Somerset 2nd 31 best Somerset 2nd 31 by again workets

SOMERSET
I Fletcher st Watwork b Folley 15
A N Haymarti c J P Crawny b Flaon 54
R J Bantar c Folley b Marrin 71
J C M Attonson run out 2

Extras (b 2. lb 17. w 2) Total (7 wkts. 50 overs) 228
G Smith and T A Munton (8d not bit.
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-86, 2-104, 3-133, 4134, 5-161, 6-202, 7-204.

"I A Greig run out _____ C K Bullen not out ____ Extres (lb 9, w 7, nb 2) **Four Counties**

Knockout Contest: Yorkshire v Essex SCARBUROUGH (Essex won toss): Es-sex best Yorkshire by 82 runs ESSEX

Total (472 overs) 125

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-6, 2-6, 3-50, 4-73, 5-112, 8-132, 7-135, 8-141, 9-147.

BOWLING: Andrew 4-0-35-2; item 7-4-11-0, Topley 8-0-15-1; Such 10-0-32-2; Fraser 4-0-16-0; Stephenson 10-0-42-3; Waugh 8-0-8-1; Stahled 0-2-0-41.

Umpires: B Landbacter and 0.0 October.

Batting and fielding

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Johnston's absence saps the strength of Scotland squad

IF THE resources available to Andy Roxburgh for Scotland's World Cup campaign were ragged, the strength he can muster for the European championship qualifying campaign appears to be as feeble as any Scottish contingent has ever been. The most obvious deficiency is in attack, not an area where Roxburgh had many options, but at least one of them came in the shape of Maurice John-

ston, the Rangers forward. Having set a World Cup scoring record for Scotland. Johnston decided during the close season to declare that he would no longer be available for selection for the inter-national squad. His rationale for this decision remains obscure, but the effects are only too evident as far as Roxburgh is concerned.

Of the forwards included in his selection for the visit of Romania to Hampden Park a week tomorrow, only one, the uncapped Robertson, of Heart of Midlothian, has been a first choice for his club side.

For an assortment of reasons, Gordon Durie, of Chelsea, Ally McCoist, of Rangers, and Robert Fleck, of Norwich City, have not been starters for their respective teams. Neither has Alan McInally, of Bayern Munich, although his star waned somewhat after an undistinguished performance gainst Costa Rica in the World Cup finals.

Reflecting on his diffi-culties, Roxburgh said yesterday: "As everyone knows, it the Under-21 selection for was a major blow for us that the match with Romania in terday: "As everyone knows, it

must wait to reclaim his place

By GEORGE ACE

NORMAN Whiteside and David McCreery, with more than 100 caps between them, have been omitted from the Northern Ireland party for the opening European Champ-tonship match against Yugo-slavia at Windsor Park on September 22.

Billy Biogham, the manager,

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Whiteside is still styneoling for

full figuess. McCreery was used only as a substitute against Uruguay in May. Jim Magilton, the Liverpool reserve midfield player, is the only uncapped player in the 17-strong squad.

That Bingham would keep faith with the men he called up against Uruguay was inevitable. The 1-0 win was Northern Ireland's finest : performance since the World Cup in Mexico in 1986, and it took on an even rosier glow when Uruguay de-

feated England four nights later. The elder statesman in the squad is Mal Donaghy, with 64 caps. Donaghy knows Gerard Taggart, capped against Norway and Uruguay, Stephen Morrow, used against Uruguay as a substitute, and Magilton are in the wings. They may, however, have to wait a little longer.

MORTHERN BIELAND SQUAD: T Wright Newcaste United). P Key (Chdord United), M Boosghy (Manchester United). C Hall (Sheffield United), N Worthlegion (Sheffield Wednesdey). A BioDonald (Queen's Park Plangers). G. Taggatt (Bernsley). A Rogan (Catic). J Magditon (Liverpool). It Wilson (Sheffield Wednesdey), K Wilson (Cheitsee). K Black (Lufor Town), It Desrie (Lufor Town), It Cheitsen (Portamouth).

Maurice decided, for reasons of his own, that he didn't want to make a contribution to the national cause any more.

"If you took any club side which lost a top striker, they would have to go out and buy a proper replacement. That option isn't open to us, so someone will have to take over who is already in the

"It's certainly not ideal that others are not playing for their clubs on the basis that we would like, but against that, we can only hope that, because it is early in the season, they will be fit and fresh. It may not be too serious a problem at this time, but if it were to continue for any lengthy per-iod then it would become a major headache."

At least there is a less fragile look about the defensive arrangements. Three goalkeepers are named, one of whom is Jim Leighton, of Manchester United, who has been out of favour with Alex Ferguson, his club manager. The cap is likely to go to Andy Goram in recognition of his consistent form with

The return of Steve Nicol, who missed the World Cup finals because of a persistent groin injury, is particularly welcome, and the inclusion of Robert Connor offers the possibility of an authentic left sided presence in the middle of the field, a feature which the Scots have lacked for some.

Whiteside Wales change six for Denmark visit

TERRY Yorath, the manager of Wales, has made sweeping, if somewhat predictable, changes to his senior squad for next Tuesday's friendly international

Yorath yesterday announced six changes to the squad which was on duty for the game against. Costa Rica in May as he begins his preparations for the opening. European Championship group 5 qualifying fixture against. Belaumin Cardiff on October 17. gum in Cardiff on October 17. Omitted are Blackmore, of Manchester United, Wilmot, of Plymouth Argyle, Williams, of Derby County, Hall, of Chelses, and Hopkins and Hodges of Crystal Palace. The replacements are all

familiar pames, players of experience who were absent in May either because of injury or club commitments. They are: Ratcliffe, of Eyerton, Rush of Liverpool, Norman, of Sunder-land, Maguire, of Portsmouth and Phillips and Bowm, of Norwich City.

"Denmark are a young team building for the future and I am anticipating a very tough game.

I was unable to select several of my more established players for the same against Costa Rica so I have taken this opportunity to recall them to the fold," Yorath

With Saunders, the Derby With Saunders, the Derby County forward, guaranteed a place in the Welsh attack in Copenhagen, Yorath must decide whether to pair him with Hughes, of Manchester United, or Rush, presumably the latter. "Dean has done very well for his country of late and I shall be looking to him to fill one of my looking to him to fill one of my attacking berths." Youth said. Ratcliffe is almost certain to

return at the heart of defence after missing the last five inter-nationals but it remains unclear whether or not he will be reinstated as team captain. In his absence, Southall, his Everton team mate, has under-taken the duties of leadership.

unusually intriguing. Of the 19 players named, not one is with

an English club and only six

had experience of premier division games last Saturday.

The rest are either reserves or

first division players. One who

features on the active list is

Christian Dailly, of Dundee United, at the tender age of 16

"The lack of players from English clubs reflects the fact

that Scottish clubs have

worked very hard in recent

years to corner the market up

here. Whereas in the past,

schoolboys would pour down to England, they are being signed up at home when they

are 13 and 14 years old. Very

few of our talented young boys

we have any more injuries to cope with, he's liable to be playing for the full inter-

national team. Whatever hap-

pens, it will all be good

experience for him to be involved with us at this level."

'As for Christian Dailly, if

go south now.

taken the duties of leadership. The game against Belgium will now be played at Cardiff Arms Park and not at Ninian Park, the home of Cardiff City, "We have received a letter

from the South Glamorgan

County fire officer which out-lined potential problems at Ninian Park," Alun Evans, the secretary of the Football Association of Wales, said. "Although Cardiff City had given assur-ances that all the necessary work would be completed in time, we would have encountered problems with the sale of tickets, especially those allocated to the Belgian football authorities.

Given what happened at the Heysel Stadium five years ago, matches between Belgian and British teams are still highly sensitive and we simply could sensifive and we simply could not afford to take any risks."

BOLIAD: N Southell (Everton), A Nammen (Sunderland): D Philips (Norwich), M Bowen (Norwich), O Megaire (Portsmouth), E Young (Crystal Philips), K Reistiffe (Everton), P Bodim (Swirdon), N Arterwood (Bristol. City), P Michales (Chelsen), B Horne (Southampton), G Speed (Leeds), N Hughes (Aerchester United), I Ranh (Liverpool), M Afen (Milwah), D Sestudata (Derty).

Langley to return Kevin Langley, aged 26, is set to re-join his first club, Wigan Athletic after spells with Everton, Manchester City and Birmingham City. The midfield

player has agreed terms but Wigan still have to agree a fee with Birmingham.

FA under pressure to punish

Swindon By LOUISE TAYLOR

PAST irregularities in the accounting of Swindon Town are likely to re-surface today at a meeting of the Football Association's executive committee at Lancaster Gate. Although the subject is not on the agenda, Bill Fox, the Football League repre-sentative on the nine-man committee, will raise Swindon's breaches of FA regulations, involving bringing the game into disrepute and false accounting, and urge strong action by

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the FA.
After being promoted to the
first division via the play-offs in
May, Swindon were demoted to
the third division by the League
after pleading guilty to multiple
breaches of its rules concerning
payments to players and abuse
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On appeal to the FA, Swindon On appeal to the FA, Swindon ware restored to the second division, but the League was still anxious to pursue individual charges against officials and players at the club.

After receiving private assurances from Lancaster Gate that the FA would not mitigate the punishment, the League was furious at its volte face, and the rift between the game's two

rift between the game's two governing bodies was apparent during the FA's summer conference at Blackpool. Yet, because it felt the FA regulations were more appropriate to deal with the misdemeanours, the League handed over the case to Lancaster Gate.

Lancaster Gate.

With many of the allegations, including how a player had his wedding reception paid for by the club, how Swindon misled transfer tribunals, how a director offered a false invoice for straw to cover the diversion of money, and how money from club sponsorships was diverted into players' pockets, having become public knowledge, the onus is on the FA to take a firm stance.

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UNDER-21 SQUAD: Medians (Paert of Middohian). Cleland (Dundee United), Watton (Aberdeen), Beresmy (Clydebursk), Densis (Italin Rovers), Jarkins (Kimernock), Miles (Hibernian), Fleider (Hibernian), Lambart (St Mirren), O'Ne (Dundee United), Cosnelly (Dunde Sharp (Ourfermine), Del stance.

If it does not wish to re-open investigations into the club, then the FA will be asked to examine charges against indivuduals, including Gary Herbert, the Swindon chairman, the directors, the manager, Osvaldo Ardiles, and at least 12 players — nine of whom are still players — nine of whom are still with the club. The charges relate to Rule 26A (10) of the FA's rules of association, which defines conduct likely to bring the game into disrepute, and Rule 33 (a), which involves bookkeeping and accounting.

Potential sanctions are, in the words of an FA disciplinary official, "limitless". They can include lifetime bans from football, fixed-term suspensions,

Herbert said yesterday he had not been "asked to attend any meeting at the FA about us this week." He added: "We fully cooperated with the League commission of inquiry when we pleaded guilty and to which we submitted private and confidential documents. Now we have absolutely nothing to hide."

Pearce sweats on making **England** game

STUART Pearce, who has missed Nottingham Forest's first three games of the season with a hamstring injury, makes his comeback for the club's third team against Shrewsbury tomorrow (Chris Moore writes). But Brian Clough, the Forest man-ager, has made it clear that Pearce will not be available for England next week unless he plays in Saturday's first division

ame with Southampton.

The Brighton goalkeeper,
Perry Digweed, sees a specialist
in London today after missing
Saturday's 1-1 home draw with Wolverhampton Wanderers because of neck spasms.

© Everton, without a point after three games, could have Tony Cottee back for Saturday's home game against Arsenal. Cottee has yet to play this season because of various ailments. A foot injury makes Brian
Strain, the Portadown captain,
donbtful for tonight's Lombard
Ulster Cup semi-final against Linfield at the Oval.

Veteran Kenyan still taking it all in his stride

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Kosgei keeps his lead

FOR someone who had not even heard of the Sun Life Great Race two weeks ago, Kip Kosgei is doing rather well. The Kenyan yesterday won the second stage, from East Kilbride to Motherwell, to retain the yellow jersey he had you are Synday and to he had won on Sunday, and to take his winnings past the £2,000 mark.

Kosgei, aged 43, showed his ounger rivals a clean pair of eels for the second successive day. He was content to let the early leaders, Pavl Klimes, of Czechoslovakia, and Elarbi Khanabi, from Marrakesh, Morocco, do all the work, before moving to the head of the field in the latter part of the 10.6-mile stage, and breaking away with less than half a mile to go.

Kosgei, who is based in Koblenz, West Germany, dur-

addition to the field after several impressive performances on the European track circuit, includ-European track circuit, including running 28min 23sec for 10,000 metres to Berlin last month. He had planoed to return home to Kenya when he was tovited to take part in the Great Race. "I hope that I can keep up the pace." he said. "I think that I can win the overall track that I can win the overall track. prize. I will not run hard every day. Some days you will see me back in the pack."

The leading British runner was once again Steve Brace, from Bridgend. He finished tenth, Imin 40sec behind Koseei, and ts lying seventh overall. The European 5,000 metres record holder, David Moorcroft, finished sixtieth.

Nigel Gates, one of Britain's leading mountain runners and s ing the summer, was a late member of Brighton and Hove,

won the first hill prime of the 20-stage race. The event also claimed its first two victims. Martin Rush, of Cumbria, and Mikhail Shevzov, of the Soviet Union, both withdrew before yesterday's stage, reducing the field to 103.

to 105, RESULT: Second stage (East Kilbride to Mortherwell, 10.6 males): 1, K Koeget (Ken), S2min 40sec; 2, E Khartabi (Mor), 52-46; 3, Peter Kirnes (C2), 53;21; 4, V Kotov (USSR), 53-32; 5, P Klotkoech (Ken), 53-32; 5, P Klotkoech (Ken), 53-32; 5, P Klotkoech (Ken), 53-32; 5, B Boudina (Aug), 54:09; 10, S Brace (68), 54:20, King of the Hiller 1, N Garbe (FB), 15per; 2, Koegel, 12; 3, Khattabi, 10, Teems 1, Konya Public Services, 3hr 35min 40sec; 2, Druzyz Marastonc (USSR), 33:12; 3, Marrakesh (Mor), 33:19, Overalti Individuals 1, Koegel, 1:53-24; 2, Khattabi, 1:54-52; 3, Sokov, 1:54-52; 4, Kotov, 1:55-12; 8, Caterno, 1:55-27; 8, Kopkoech, 1:55-28, Teems: 1, Kenya Public Services, 7:43:13; 2, Druzyz Marastonc, 7:44-35; 3, Sporting Club Portugal, 7:50:13.

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YACHTING

Economic squeeze strands 80ft class

By BARRY PICKTHALL

THE Whitbread Round the World race committee decided vesterday to drop the idea of introducing a maxi division for Soft ultra-light yachts and in-stead retain the maxi yachts drawn to the existing Inter-national Offshore rule as the premier class for the next event.

Admiral Sir Jeremy Black, tho that the decision had been taken mainly for economic reasons.
"If we had decided to go with
the 80ft class we would have had 70ft maxis and may have fin-ished up with penny numbers

on both."

A decision on the proposed 80ft class will be reviewed again for the 1997 race and will be based on the experience gained which are being introduced to replace the small boat divisions. lan Bailey-Wilmot, the Whithread sailing director, said: "In the long run, costs should be comparable with an IOR maxi, but initially the research and development costs and the per-ceived need by many syndicates to produce a trial boar would make it more expensive this first

According to Bailey-Wilmot, the decision was endorsed by a 2-1 majority from opinions canvassed among previous Whitbread skippers and poten-tial racers and sponsors for the next race. The Whithread com-mittee includes Peter Blake, the last winner, and Rohin Knox-

nounced the formation of a subrules and criteria for the 60ft class before the proposals are passed to the Offshore Racing Council in November.

Two golds fine haul for Britain

AS PENNY Way and Glyn Charles, the British sailors, re-turned home from Barcelona yesterday with two gold medals, Cliff Norbury, the etated British team manager, reported that this first pre-Olympic regatta had been an invaluable training mission (Barry Pickthall writes),

"We did not do as well as we "We did not do as well as we might have hoped in the 470 and Star classes, but these are new names to the Olympic circuit and they all learned a great deal," he said.

While Way dominated the women's boardsailing event to increase her tally of realty with the said.

iocrease her tally of regalta wins this season to eight out of nine events, it was the performance of Charles and his Soling crew that had all on the edge of their

They only just made the first cut after scraping in sixth during the initial round of fleet-racing robin match-race trials to decide to pip Sweden's Uri Palsson for length in the final," Norbury said.

The British team manager also praised the performance of Shirley Robertson, a new recruit to the Europe singlehander, who opened her account with first

Harry Mitchell, one of four British entries in this winter's BOC Challenge single-handed round the world race which leaves Newport Rhode Island oo September 15, has been forced to retire after colliding

Prologue fixed

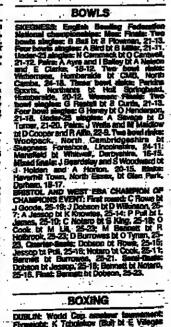
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Taylor opts for the status quo

FOOTBALL CORRESPONDENT

ENGLAND are to start a new era as they finished the World Cup. In announcing the first squad of his naunnal managerial career yesterday, Graham Taylor explained why he had retained the bulk of Bohby Robson's party in Italy, and indicated that he will probably keep the same sys-tem against Hungary next

"We came back having lost on penalties in the World Cup semi-final to the eventual winners. That has given me a base to work on, a legical starting point, and there can be no justification for bombing people out. We shall have to see how it develops," he

Only four members of the World Cup squad were unavailable. Butcher and Shilton have retired from the international arena. Hodge and Bryan Robson are injured. Two of the replacements, and the reasons Taylor offered for selecting them, suggest that England will line up at Wembley with Mark Wright as the sweeper.

Dixon and Winterburn were hrought in specifically because they are accustomed to filling attacking roles as full backs. "Arsenal may not use a conventional sweeper, hut when they have played with three central defenders, those two bave shown that they know what is expected of them." Taylor said.

His choice is to be welcomed. Pearce, though he has imoroved during his elon-gated stay in the England side, and Stevens, are renowned more for their power and athleticism rather than for their distribution. Nor is Parker, the right back for most of the World Cup, technically gifted. Dixon and Winterburn, both of whom are defensively adequate, would play more by Beasant, who flew belatedly

productive parts if they were selected on the flanks. So would Dorigo, a squad member for two years who has

started only once.

He and Winterburn, the reserve left backs, could be competing for the position against the Hungarians. Pearce has not yet appeared for Nottingham Forest and, unless he confirms his recovery from injury in a reserve fixture tomorrow and the first division game on Saturday, he will be omitted.

To fill the gap left by Butcher, Pallister has been promoted above Adams, another heartening sign that the national manager is committed to grace and style at the back as well as the front Taylor appreciates that bis decision represents another painful blow to the personal ambitions of Adams.

"He was told that he was going to be the future captain of England and then he was left out of the World Cup squad. That was hard to equate but be has handled himself well," Taylor said. Adams's consolation is to join Beasant, Rocastle and lan Wright on the stand-by list.

Pallister, who made his international debut in Hungary while he was still at Middlesbrough, has been under strain as well. Taylor recognises that his huge transfer fee "put him under great pressure, and particularly because he served no apprenticeship and, therefore, has not been in the game that long.

"All hell was being let loose when he joined Manchester United, but he has come through it all. He looks good on the ball, hut I would like him to be more positive when

Shilton's place is taken not

UNDER-21 (v Hungary at Southempte September 11): A Miller (Arsenal), Walker (Tottenham Hotspur), G Cher (Nottingham Forest), J Dodd (Southem ton), C Virnicombe (Rangers), D L (Cheldeal), Lienter Comp. C 70



Pointing the way ahead: The England manager, Graham Taylor, and his assistant, Lawrie McMenemy (left)

to Italy as the understudy for the injured Seaman, but by

Other prominent youngsters must wait for longer than Southampton next Tuesday, Taylor followed the strictly

season, against Wales in Feb- under increasing pressure to ruary, there will be few openings if the seniors respond to line-up for the game against Taylor's challenge. "It is up to Luton Town but the indicathem to show me that they justify a place io the squad and, if possible, to keep the competition at bay," he said.

Nevertheless, he must make next Tuesday.

United may drop Hughes

By IAN ROSS

After the Hungarians had exists between Alex Ferguson, stated that they would include the manager of Manchester no over-age players in the United, and Mark Hughes, the under-21 international at cluh's Welsh international forward, will be stretched to its limit at Kenilworth Road

youthful policy.

Since only one B international is scheduled for this performances, Ferguson is omit Hughes from his starting tions are that the former Barcelona player will be given another opportunity to rediscover his lost touch.

"Mark Hughes is not enone significant new move. In semble at the moment, it the absence of Butcher, Bryan would be silly to say other-Robson and Shilton, he has to wise," Ferguson said. "The appoint a fresh captain. His one thing be needs is a goal identity, like Taylor's first and sooner or later it will England team, will be revealed come. I have full respect for come. I have full respect for Mark, I think he is a great player but there are 50 or so

might have been expected. THE bond of loyalty which and I do not think that anyone . The West Bromwich Albion

will play in all of them. "I have not made my mind up yet about what I am going to do. When I pulled Mark off against Sunderland on Saturday, it was not an individual for 24 bours. The League thing, it was for the benefit of the team. The same thing applied when I took off Paul Ince during the recent game against Leeds United." Les Sealey, the goalkeeper who joined United from Lu-

ton during the summer, will undergo a late fitness test after sustaining head and arm injuries during Saturday's defeat at Roker Park.

Ferguson is likely to include Beardsmore in his defence tonight which would mean Donaghy moving to left back and the swift abandonment of a sweeper system which had been designed to operate around Robson, the England

manager, Brian Talbot, has criticised the Football League for allowing Bristol City to delay this week's Rumbelows Cup first round second leg tie granted City's request that the game be played tomorrow instead of today as the Bristol club had played Swindon in a

local derby on Sunday. However, the decision has angered Talbot. He said: "The police ordered us to play a derby against Wolves on a Sunday last season, but the Football League would not allow our game at Stoke to be switched from Tuesday to Wednesday. That strikes me as double standards."

• The memorial service for Geoffrey Green, former football correspondent of The Times, will be at St Bride's, Fleet Street, London EC4, on Thursday (noon).

Defeat prompts retirement hint by Navratilova

FROM ANDREW LONGMORE

MARTINA Navratilova, the record-breaking Wimbledon champion, did

"If I don't feel like playing next year, I won't," she said.
"Right now, I don't feel like it,
but I'm sure I will feel
differently in a few days. I
wouldn't do headlines that Martina is retiring next year, but anything is possible. I had a good chance of winning this tournament and I blew it."

in the aftermath of John McEnroe's epic five-set vic-tory over Emilio Sánchez, Navratilova went down with unusual timidity to the Bulgarian-born Maleeva, the No. 9 seed, who before last night bad not beaten Navratilova in seven previous matches. Just 12 months ago, Maleeva had not even managed a game as Navratilova swept through to a final against Steffi Graf.

But Maleeva has found a new busband and new nerve since that day, and once she had sensed that the four-times US Open champion was not fident, winning 7-5, 3-6, 6-3.

After her defeat, Navratilova, the No. 2 seed, admitted that her quest for a

not want news of her impend-ing retirement plastered all win. "Wimbledon was very over the sports pages, but the steady, but the whole time way she talked after her defeat here I've been struggling. 1 by Manuela Maleeva, it was think that Wimbledon took so difficult to draw many other much out of me I really had a hard time," she said.

John McEnroe reached a quarter-final with David match which tested the stamina of McEnroe's ageing legs as much as the nerves of the 20,000 crowd. After four hours and 20 minutes. McEnroe emerged, fists clenched and confidence high, to win 7-6, 3-6, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

"It was nice to be part of a match like that again,"
McEnroe said. "In the fifth, I was still able to move pretty well, and that's a good feeling." One he has not experienced often this year.

McEnroe's victory should encourage another champion, Bjorn Borg, who is back practising and rumoured to be contemplating a comeback. Borg is aged 34, three years older than his old rival McEnroe, and a year older than Navratilova.

Jana Novotna continued her usual dominant self, she her recent improvement with became more and more con-fident, winning 7-5, 3-6, 6-3. Katerina Maleeva.

TA line up Olga

.. From Andrew Longmore

final in 1974, is set to join the working with us." Lawn Tennis Association's

school at Bisham Abbey. there are several things to be ence as well," Morazova said, tied up," Richard Lewis, the whose own daughter is the the LTA, said. "But I hope it is Soviet Union.

OLGA Morazova, who lost to a matter of weeks rather than Chris Evert in the Wimbledon months before she can start. Though, as yet, it is not

coaching staff in the next few clear exactly what Morazova's weeks. Morazova, aged 41, is role will be within the LTA, the Soviet Union's national she will be brought over under coach and will bring much- the new £600,000 Rover juneeded international experi- nior tennis initiative and will ence if she does decide to start probably work with the four a new career in England, new girls at Bishani, the first probably at the LTA's tennis to be sent to the school

"It will be nice to come to a "We are still negotiating new country, because I will be with Olga about the post and able to learn from the experidirector of junior coaching at best under-12 player in the

ENGLAND SQUADS

Thursday.

The Irish player had in-

RONAN Rafferty, Europe's Olazabal and Sandy Lyle are No. I golfer last season, yes- among the entrants, along terday confirmed he would with Robert Gamez, the not be playing in the young American who has won Panasonic European Open at two tournaments in the Sunningdale, starting on United States in his first year as a professional.

Peter Urwin, of Birchgrey. dicated, after winning the Ebel the tournament promoters, European Masters in Switzer- said he was told Rafferty was land on Sunday, that he might "tired and taking a rest". not he playing at Sunningdale. Asked about appearance However, Nick Faldo. lan money, Urwin said: "It was Woosnam. José-María not a factor at this stage."

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Rafferty to miss Open Golfers in cup wrangle

could agree tonight to a move that would end their participation in the Ryder Cup match. The players, including Nick

Faldo, have been invited to attend a meeting convened by the PGA European Tour to discuss the conflict with the Professional Golfers' Association over the organisation of the hiennial encounter against the United States. The players have been sent a confidential document pre-

pared hy the PGA European Tour and detailing the prolonged campaign with the PGA over the cup. It is conceivable that the

players will sanction a move which would leave the PGA with no option other than to accept a compromise or face running the Ryder Cup without the golfers who have dominated it in recent years. The PGA has stated it would continue to run the Ryder Cup with club professionals if necessary, and the alternative for the touring professionals The Tour, however, believes would be to initiate a transatlantic troohy.

The PGA European Tour players so that it can take a take the match into the 21st firm stand with the PGA, century.

By MITCHELL PLATTS, GOLF CORRESPONDENT themselves who possibly hold

EUROPE'S leading golfers although it is the players the key to the future of the match. For the paradox is that a financial offer made by the PGA European Tour to the PGA could push the players to seek remuneration for their

I understand the Tour ini-

tially put forward a deal to the PGA whereby the PGA was guaranteed the first £750,000 of the surplus, excluding television revenue, with the additional profit being equally split. The PGA is reported to have offered the Tour £1 million from the 1991 and 1993 matches, which the Tour turned down.

The PGA, which pays a facility fee to the Tour in recompense for staff time, has, through Samuel Ryder's original trust, always held control of the match, so its argument is that the Tour is in no position to make an offer for something it does not own. that it possesses the expertise in staging tournaments of the scope of the Ryder Cup and wants the views of its 300 that it is better equipped to

The players when discussing the wrangle could elect to seek "appearance money" for 1993, amounting, at £60,000 each, to £720.000, which is not far short of the Tour's offer that the PGA should take the first £750,000 of profit result-

ing from the Ryder Cup. By coincidence, the PGA announced last February that following the match last September at The Belfry the surplus before taxation was £751.065 on a turnover of £7.5 million.

Since then, the decision has been taken, albeit on a casting vote hy Lord Derby, to keep the next home match in 1993 at The Belfry and that, too, has done nothing to heal the rift between the Tour and the PGA. Lord Derby subsequently resigned as the chairman of the Ryder Cup

The European Tour trio of Bernard Gallacher, Tony Jacklin and Neil Coles supported a move to Spain, the PGA committee members, Brian Anderson, David Huish and Phil Weaver, backed The Belfry. and Lord Derby immediately gave his casting vote to The Belfry.

Fouroux resigns as coach but retains position of power

By DAVID HANDS, RUGBY CORRESPONDENT

JACQUES Fouroux's resigna- Pierre Berbizier during 1989. tion as France's rugby union Berbizier, the much-capped coach was announced yes- scrum half from Agen, apterday. But any thought that peared the natural successor his influence will be markedly as French coach to Fouroux decreased, after a decade of but instead it is Daniel dominating the playing affairs Dubroca, the former Agen and of the country, should be laid France prop and hooker, who aside, since he remains as will coach his country with a chairman of selectors and backs coach to be decided favourite to succeed Albert tomorrow. Ferrasse as president of the French Rugby Federation. "You cannot become presi-

dent if you are still the prime since it clashed with those of minister," was how a French two other talented scrum colleague put it. In one sense balves, Max Barrau and Rich-Fouroux's decision has been and Astre. In the same way he foreshadowed over the last 18 was seldom free from critimonths but in another it has cism during his ten years as come as a surprise. Despite coach, despite his unparalleled having stayed this long in an achievements: two grand atmosphere of increasing critislams, in 1981 and 1987, three cism - France have lost nine outright five-nations' of their last 13 internationals, championships and three including the game last May shared championships. against Romania in Auch, Fouroux's bome town, and the recent three-match series in succession of big packs and Australia — he will not now centres who looked as though remain until the 1991 World they would be equally at home Cup is over.

to be changed after the well- French flair, yet that flair changes from the side that lost publicised squabble with always had a habit of breaking to Connacht at the weekend.

Fouroux's era as a player was attended by controversy That success was based on a

in the back row. It was said of It may be that his plans had Fouroux that he destroyed

out, most recently in June in two of the three games against Australia, and it should be remembered that during Fouroux's reign such backs as-Serge Blanco and Philippe Sella, arguably the best in theirrespective positions in the world at one time, have

flourished.

fidence," Ferrasse said yes-terday, "but I can't continually oppose his will-It's always dramatic when you: lose a man of quality but he will remain chairman of the selection committee." • Ulster have made four

"He still has my con-

changes from the team that drew with Yorkshire at Hull atthe weckend for the game against Spain at Ravenhill tonight (7.30).

McCoy and McDonald are not available and are replaced at tight-head prop and hooker respectively by Millar and Smith. McKinty is recalled atblind-side flanker and Matchett takes over at scrum half. Spain have made nine changes from the side that lost

Optimism over S Africa's return to sports arena

From DAVID MILLER IN STOCKHOLM

THE Fourth International Conference Against Apartheid in Sport, to be opened by Prince Bertil here this morning, takes place with some non-racial South African sports organising bodies believing that a return to international sport could be no more than 18 munths away; maybe no more than a year. Included among these, according

10 Sam Ramsamy, the chairman of the South African Non-Racial Olympic Committee (SANROC), are officials of some of the most widely-followed sports. Ramsamy, who this afternoon addresses the conference of some 300 delegates from 39 countries, would not be specific beforehand, hut it must be assumed that football and athletics are foremost among these. Both would be welcomed by FIFA and the IAAF, respectively, the moment it is possible, for the country has so

The speakers are expected to reflect the accelerating social change within South Africa and the new optimism for the return to sport of a multi-racial country which could in

a short time rival the United States in its talent and drive. Juan Antonio Samaranch, presi-

dent of the International Olympic Committee, makes the keynote speech this morning, following an address from Joseph Garba, presi-dent of the United Nations General Assembly. Besides Ramsamy's, one of the most-awaited speeches will come today from Mluleki George, president of the non-white National Olympic and Sports Congress of South Africa (NOSC).

Asked last year by the IOC to go to meet a cross-section of South African leaders, the Association of National Olympic Committees of Africa (ANOCA) invited Ramsamy to make a formal visit of investigation, on which he will report to all interested African parties in Harare in November

Ramsamy's trip was, signifi-cantly, coordinated by George, in conjunction with the so-called establishment organisation, the South African National Olympic Committee (SANOC), white orientated, but for some years heavily committed to integration at all

Such a collaboration is itself indicative of the changing scene, and Ramsamy found himself in a position to say, more emphatically than ever after his visit, that be was very optimistic about the future."

Since the early eighties, I have

been advocating, to criticism from such as the Bishop of Liverpool, a selective re-admission of the most integrated sports federations as encouragement to others and as a powerful internal tool with which to timulate South African society. Even hardline anti-apartheid ac-tivists, such as Jean-Claude Ganga of the Congo, a member of the IOC anti-apartheid commission, are believed now to be recognising the possible value of such incentives.

The conference may reveal how much this is so; for Ganga is among those present here, together with other UN representatives, such as ambassador James Gbohe and Satirios Mousouris. Indeed the shrillest note of protest, justified for so long, but now needing a practical streak of judgement related to new domestic realities, is likely to come from the several Swedish speakers

who have never visited South

Sweden's national sports federation is the first to host such a conference, as opposed previously to governments. Sweden's alliance to the anti-apartheid movement is the most long-standing of all, and achievements are self-evident.

Now, however, is a time for re-assessment. "The issue is one of human relations," Ramsamy says. It has always tended to be seen as a political issue because it is only politicians who can make the decisions. The situation, therefore, depends on political development." It must be said that Ramsamy has done everything in the past to exploit political clout, but the evidence of development in South Africa is clear, and thus it could more indicate this than the fact that Ramsamy, for so long a leading instrument of white South African exclusion, should now be running

no the green flag. "I found that all organisations were overwhelmingly in favour of

single national non-racial governing bodies," Ramsamy said.

Part of his role, on his first visit for 18 years, was to spell out the necessary terms for re-entry, and also to try to establish conditions by which, when it happens, there will be an equal distribution of facilities and finance.

One of Ramsamy's reservations. is that many sports are still divided among different racial organising bodies: he cites four in both rugby and football and three in athletics. That does a slight injustice to the South African Amateur Athletic. Union (SAAAU), the largest, which, though originally white orientated, has formed sub divisions for track and field, road running and cross country and arguably has better race relations than some clubs in Britain.

We may be already past the point at which no South Africans who have the most to gain from re-entry into international sport do not have

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a white skin.